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CITY TRUSTEES

M. A. King and Wilmot Parcher Appear Before Board, Latter Has China Factory in View. Various Petitions

All present. Minutes read and demands approved. In reference to complaint made in regard to necessity for a new cesspool at Seventh and Brand the health officer reported that it had seemed advisable to give the property owner further time to put in the required improvement as no complaint had been heard from the nearest neighbors, and time was given until May 1st. The board of public works reported having held a meeting with similar committee from Tropico to consider the report of the Consolidated Water Co. with a view to fixing rates, but no conclusion arrived at and further time requested, which was granted. The following resolution was unanimously adopted:

Whereas, In the opinion of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale it is a matter of vital importance to the people of said City that the territory in the Verdugo Canon composing the watershed from which the people of this City derive their water for domestic purposes be annexed to this city for the purpose of enabling this Board to take such steps as it may properly, for the protection and preservation of the purity of the water of the said canyon; and whereas it appears practically impossible to annex said territory without at the same time taking in the territory known as the Thom and Ross ranches; and whereas Capt. C. E. Thom and Judge Erskine M. Ross, the owners of said properties contend and maintain that to include said ranches in said annexation would be a great detriment to them by burdening them with additional taxation from which they would derive no remuneration, but realizing the great importance of properly protecting and preserving the purity of the water which the people of Glendale are using, the said Capt. C. E. Thom and Judge Erskine M. Ross have consented not to oppose said annexation, notwithstanding it include the whole of their said ranches therein, in order that the purpose of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale may be accomplished in protecting said water as aforesaid.

Now, therefore, Be it Resolved that the Board of Trustees of the city of Glendale on behalf of all the people of said city and especially for themselves personally do hereby publicly express their hearty appreciation of the broad, public-spirited position assumed by the said Capt. C. E. Thom and Judge Erskine M. Ross in this matter of yielding what they sincerely contend and believe is a personal sacrifice on their part for the benefit of the people of the city of Glendale generally, and that a copy of this resolution be sent to them.

The city attorney called attention to the fact that certificates of nomination for municipal officers to be elected April 8th must be filed thirty days previous (March 8th) and that some change in the form of petition had been made and raised the question whether new forms need be printed. The matter was referred to the city clerk for action. Dr. R. E. Chase, health officer, reported having consulted with the Los Angeles health officer and submitted outline for ordinance covering the subject of tuberculine test for dairy cows and other matters referring to purity of milk. On motion the health officer was directed to get more information from government experts and bring in a suggestive form for ordinance covering the matter.

Mr. M. A. King, as a director of the Verdugo Pipe and Reservoir Co., appeared before the board in reference to that company's reservoir, requesting that board look into the matter of lack of water pressure which is required for protection from fire. Referred to fire and public safety committee.

Mr. Wilmot Parcher presented to the board the matter of a business proposition on the part of the Los Angeles China Co. which proposes to purchase of him on Glendale avenue at east end of Chestnut, three acres of land for factory purposes. If not interfered with by the city or residents in the neighborhood they expect to put up very soon their first building at a cost of $25,000. The concern would probably employ 250 hands at good wages. They have been offered land in Anaheim, Santa Ana, San Diego and other places, but prefer to locate in Glendale if circumstances are favorable. It was arranged for the trustees as a committee of the whole to meet the people back of the project to take place at some time to be fixed.

A long communication from Sidney Dell, Esq., of Casa Verdugo referring to the question of annexation past, present and future. No action. A petition was received from property owners on Penn street requesting the improvement of that street; referred to city engineer to recommend grade for this and other streets. The clerk was authorized to sign a year's contract for telephones with the Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. Mr. R. H. Wells, Messrs. Wood and Hitchcock, appeared before the board stating that the people of their section propose to assess themselves to put up iron standards for street lights, and requesting that if franchise is granted a railroad there, that it be required to put in iron instead of wooden poles. The city attorney was instructed to prepare an ordinance requiring all electric railway companies to put in iron poles. The report of the Verdugo Springs Water Co. was received and referred to the public works committee. A further elaboration of the report of the Glendale Consolidated Water Co. was requested showing the assets and liabilities of that company and an actual valuation of their plant. An ordinance regulating the running of street cars passed third and final reading.

An ordinance prohibiting games of chance was read first time and second times. An ordinance establishing grade on a portion of Sixth street was read first and second times.

A resolution was adopted directing the city clerk to advertise the sale of electric lighting bonds.

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TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLUB.

Regular meeting was held at the Country Club on February 27. After the regular business the club listened to a very interesting and instructive talk on music, from an educational standpoint, by Miss Ruby Dale of Los Angeles. Miss Dale's idea is to bring the music teacher up to the standard of the school teacher and make the study of music much broader than the ordinary conception of it, and that the music teacher should be taught how to teach just as the school teachers are required to take a normal course. To be not only a teacher, but an instructor, to not only teach but see that the instruction is carried out by the student.

Miss Dale pays especial attention to the elementary work and brought one of her pupils who illustrated her methods of finger, wrist and arm exercises. At the close of Miss Dale's talk her pupil, a daintly little girl played four numbers that were greatly enjoyed.

Mr. Anderson of Los Angeles with whom Miss Dale is associated, also sent two of his pupils who played very beautifully.

Mrs. Hutchinson spoke of the Japanese entertainment to be given by the philanthropic committee on Thursday, Feb. 29th, at K. of P. hall. The ladies of this committee are working very hard to make the afternoon a success, and it is hoped that there will be a good attendance.

IN THE INTEREST OF YOUNG MEN.

A meeting was held in Glendale last Monday attended by several ministers and some laymen, to devise means for affording to the young men of the city some kind of harmless amusement, a need of which the most thoughtful of our citizens have been conscious of for some time. Mr. A. W. Tower called the meeting to order and was later elected permanent chairman. He made a report of the result of an investigation into the cost of securing apparatus similar to that furnished by the Y.M.C.A. rooms in small cities, the cost of which is about $275 for a general gymnasium apparatus. The cost of renting a suitable room or rooms was discussed and Mr. McRae, county secretary of the Y.M.C.A., spoke on the subject. The pool room question was also discussed, the result of which was the adoption of the following resolution:

"Resolved, That we recommend to the churches which we represent that the Christian people of Glendale actively oppose the introduction of public poolrooms in our city."

The special committee was enlarged by the addition of two members, and now stands: Messrs. Black, Tower, Baker, Carter and Langley.

PETITION TO DISINCORPORATE.

At the meeting of the trustees of Eagle Rock Monday evening last a petition was received requesting that an election be called to disincorporate the city.

CITIZENS' LEAGUE

Municipal and School Tickets Nominated

About one hundred people assembled at K. of P. Hall Tuesday evening in attendance at the second meeting of the newly organized Citizens League. The first business attended to was the selection of four members, two each from the first and fourth precincts, to complete the executive committee. The proposed by-laws were then presented by Secretary Russell and adopted, and the regular meeting night fixed for the first Thursday in every month. A recess was then taken to receive new members, and thirty-one citizens of both sexes signed the roll. Upon coming to order again the question arose as to whether all present should be permitted to vote or the voting be limited to members only. The latter idea prevailed. The chairman, Mr. J. W. Usilton, then announced that the next thing in order was the nomination of candidates for places on the Glendale board of trustees. Mr. C. A. Rudell placed in nomination Mr. A. F. Howard of 1530 Hawthorne street for a two year term. Mr. Howard was nominated by acclamation, and made a neat speech of thanks. Mr. C. D. Thom placed Mr. O. A. Lane in nomination for a four-year term, who was nominated by acclamation, and also expressed his thanks and appreciation. Mr. J. R. White placed Mr. T. W. Watson in nomination, and he also went through unanimously and made an appropriate acknowledgment. When nominations for city clerk were called for, Mr. C. D. Thom placed the present incumbent, Mr. G. B. Woodberry, in nomination. Mr. Rudell, stating that he had been requested to do so, nominated Mr. H. L. Whaley. A ballot was taken, resulting in 37 to 25 in favor of Whaley. The result of this ballot was in the nature of a surprise to the friends of Mr. Woodberry, who had not anticipated any opposition to his nomination. Mr. Usilton took the floor and put Mr. G. B. Hoffman (incumbent) in nomination for city treasurer, and Mr. Hoffman went through unanimously. The nomination of candidates for school trustees followed, resulting in the unanimous choice of Mrs. J. N. Witham, of Lomita avenue, and Mr. J. E. Hillyer. As a third member of the board, Mr. T. E. Stanton, of North Central avenue, was placed in nomination and unanimously nominated, but stated that it would be impossible for him to serve, expressing the desire at the same time to see someone from his section nominated, as there is a school house to be built at Casa Verdugo in the near future. Someone suggested the name of Mr. George Holman, but it was finally agreed to leave the matter open until the next meeting, in the hope that in the meantime the people of the north end of the district would agree upon some representative for the one-year term. At this point adjournment was had, the League to meet Thursday evening of next week in the same place.

COLONIAL PARTY.

The ladies of the Socialist local have been giving several charming parties, the latest being at the residence of Mrs. Gilhousen, Tuesday last. Of the large attendance, quite a number were handsomely costumed, many taking part in the beautiful tableau representing the eras of George Washington's life. The stars and stripes was the motif of the decorations. Much fine talent was displayed by some of the members in the way of music, singing and recitations. Dainty refreshments were served.

Mrs. Bertha Higgins of West Fourth street entertained the members of the Myosotis Whist Club at her home on Monday evening.

THE CHURCHES

LUTHERAN CHURCH.

Meets at I. O. O. F. hall every Sabbath. Bible school at 10 a. m. and preaching service at 11 a. m. Everybody welcome.

CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

Services as usual by the pastor, J. W. Utter. The subject of the evening sermon will be "Business—Human and Divine." Christian Endeavor meets at 6:20. The subject Sunday evening will be "A Christian Virtue—Patience." Leader, Mrs. A. A. Carter.

NEW RECTOR AT ST. MARKS.

Rev. Gerald G. Messias, who for three and a half years has been located at Olympia, Wash., will assume charge of St. Mark's mission, Glendale, March 1st.

Services same as usual on Sunday next, at which time announcement will be made as to Lenten services. Mrs. Messias and three-year-old daughter will arrive in Glendale in a few days to make their home.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

W. E. Edmonds, pastor. Residence, "The Manse," 421 Cedar street. Services as usual Sunday, March 3rd. Sunday school 9:45, David Black, superintendent. Brotherhood Bible class under leadership of Mr. Theo. Hopping, meets at the same hour.

Morning worship, 11:00 o'clock. Subject, "Christ's Second Coming." The second in series of doctrinal sermons.

Junior and Intermediate Endeavor, 3 p. m.; C. E. meeting, 6:30; evening service, 7:30.

The old church building is to be fitted up for use of a boys' club which is to be organized Friday evening, March 8th. Mr. John Camphouse is chairman of this special committee.

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH

At the morning service the pastor will give an illustrated sermon-story to the boys and girls. The topic of the morning sermon will be "A New Motive in Religion." There will be special music.

The Woman's Auxiliary will serve a cafeteria supper Friday evening, March 1, at 314 Brand boulevard. An excellent menu is being prepared. The ladies will be ready to serve at 5:30 o'clock. As this is the first supper the auxiliary has served they will be pleased with a liberal patronage.

The boys' class was pleasantly entertained last Friday evening at the home of their teacher, Mrs. Maranville. The boys report a fine time. The class surprised their teacher by presenting her with two pieces of silver.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

The pastor will preach both morning and evening the coming Sunday. Morning subject, "Christ's Friends;" evening, "The Great Dragon."

Rev. Blackburn will lead the class meeting at 12 m. on Sunday.

"God's Purposes Inspired by Love" is the Epworth League subject. Hosea 2:16-23; John 3-16.

Official board meeting Tuesday night. Please note the change.

Ladies' Aid Society Tuesday afternoon.

Bible school board meeting Wednesday night after prayer service.

Methodist Brotherhood Thursday night. The pool room and other questions will be up for discussion.

"The Paralytic Healed" is the prayer meeting subject. Mark 2:1-12.

The Sunday school attendance last Sunday was 206. New scholars every Sunday. The school has adopted the "Cross Crown" system. Come and get a gold pin.

We invite you to all of our services.

BAPTIST CHURCH.

Corner Isabel and Third Sts.
Rev. Eugene Haines, Pastor, Residence 1434 Milford St. Telephone, Pacific 176J.
Preaching services, 11:00 a. m., 7:30 p. m. Sundays. Sunday School, 9:30 a. m. Prayer meeting, 7:30 p. m. Wednesdays.

The services last Sunday were full of interest and well attended. The service in the evening in charge of the Sunday school, was delightful with its music by the regular church quartet and the young ladies' chorus, accompanied by the orchestra. It is planned to have these services once a month in charge of the Sunday school, and our people are beginning to look forward to them.

The meetings of the B.Y.P.U. are growing in numbers and interest. A highly instructive and enjoyable meeting was held last Sunday evening in charge of the missionary committee of which Mrs. Haines is chairman. The meetings are held each Sunday evening at 6:30 to which all are invited.

The ladies of the Aid Society won for themselves many favorable comments on the Boston supper and excellent program provided by them in the I.O.O.F. hall last week. The treasury was enriched by a goodly sum as a result, and a most delightful social occasion was had.

Next Sunday morning the monthly communion service will be held, following a short sermon by the pastor, when the right hand of fellowship will be extended to new members. In the evening the pastor will conclude the series of sermons on Suggestive Questions, when his subject will be, "How Shall We pray?" Everybody is invited to these services.

PRESBYTERIAN LADIES' AID SOCIETY.

The regular meeting will be held in the church on Tuesday next, March 5, at 2 p. m. Hostess, Mrs. Begg, assisted by Mrs. Stauffacher and Mrs. Graham.

AT THE HIGH SCHOOL.

The interclass baseball game played Monday evening between the Ninth and Tenth year classes resulted in a score of 4 to 3 in favor of the Freshmen. The eleventh and twelfth year teams play next Wednesday.

The tennis match played here last Saturday between the Polytechnic and Glendale High resulted in a victory for the visitors.

Prof. W. G. Hummell, having charge of the agricultural work in the high schools throughout the state in connection with the university, spent Friday and Saturday of last week here. Prof. Hummell is endeavoring to promote interest in this special line of work in the high schools. Heretofore a credit of only a year and a half has been allowed by the university for the high school courses, but Mr. Hummell is endeavoring to secure a credit of four years for the same work. The university maintains a farm at Davis, Cal., and a regular agricultural course is given at Berkeley and this year a summer course will be given there. The Polytechnic school at San Luis Obispo is also giving regular courses in this line. Among additions to the literature of agriculture added during the past week is a set of books on Soil Management, Breeding and Poultry, making a total of 25 books on this line added this year.

A number of the boys were invited by the Los Angeles Y.M.C.A. to dinner Monday evening to meet other students and promote the work of the Students League.

Mr. Moore of the sloyd department invites parents, mothers in particular, to visit the carpenter shop in the basement and note the work their boys are doing.

LIBRARY NOTES.

A catalogue of all the books to be found in the library will soon be completed. This will be found very convenient for reference work. All the books have been thoroughly examined and those which needed cleaning or mending have been attended to. A large number have been entirely rebound. A new and complete set of Washington Irving's works is now to be found on the shelves, also all of Bret Harte's volumes, which should be of interest to all Californians. Marguret Collier Graham's new book of essays has been procured for the library.

A new feature is the reserve list which has been recently established. Any one especially desirous of obtaining a certain book may do so by leaving their card and five cents, as soon as the book comes in a notice will be posted to the person wishing to obtain it.

The present library board is composed of Dr. A. L. Bryant, president; Mrs. Ella C. Witham, secretary; Mrs. Mary Howard Gridley, Mrs. Robert Blackburn and Mr. O. A. Lane. Owing to their efforts a large number of improvements have been made in the library during the past few months.

KNIGHTS OF PYTHIAS.

Miradero Lodge No. 96, K. of P. of Glendale, had the honor of conferring the rank of knighthood on six esquires, for the Baby Pythian Lodge, Arrowhead No. 298 of Los Angeles, at their castle, 320 South Main street, last Tuesday night. Mr. J. M. Lampert, a well known citizen of Glendale, has the honor of being its first Past Chancellor Commander and its present Chancellor Commander. Miradero Lodge rank of knight team was composed of the following officers: C. C., H. L. Legrande; V.C., L. B. Fitzgerald; prelate, T. L. Gillespie; M. of W., F. H. Mitchell; M.A., C. S. Sampson; I.G., E. P. Manley; O.G., Harry Miller. Third rank team: F. H. Mitchell, H. B. Eachus, Fred Deal, A. Klotz, F. W. H. Dow, F. H. Gurnsey, H. L. Legrand, O. H. Amberg, F. H. Dickman, J. R. Wilson, Paul V. Tuttle, H. N. Flower, F. J. Willets, R. P. McMullen, J. C. Milliken, F. W. Anderson, G. W. Reed, L. Segar, G. W. Johnson, W. J. Stratton, D. McDonald and C. H. Eudemiller.

COMPLIMENTARY TO A BRIDE.

In honor of Mrs. Ernest Cook of Los Angeles, recently Miss Helen Robinson, Mrs. Sarah Pitcher of Second street entertained in her home at high noon on February 21st. The receiving rooms were a profusion of violets and as far as possible every detail of the luncheon was planned to correspond to the general color arrangement. Table decorations, though simple, were especially attractive and artistic. Individual favors were tiny lavender baskets filled with violet bon-bons.

Covers were laid for Mrs. R. E. Chase, Mrs. Leon H. Hurtt, Mrs. Edgar W. Pack, Mrs. F. E. Chase, Mrs. J. D. Robinson, Mrs. E. W. Robinson, Mrs. Barney Benjamin, Miss Ruth Muncy, Miss Gladys Benjamin, Miss Harriet Gilmore, and the guest of the occasion, Mrs. Ernest Cook.

P. E. O. MEETS WITH MRS. BAKER.

Tropico Chapter A.H. met Friday, Feb. 23, with Mrs. Abby P. Baker. The ladies assembled at high noon and a delicious buffet luncheon was served. After the regular business sessions, Mrs. Bryant and Mrs. Agnes Albright, visiting sisters from the Glendale chapter, spoke for a few moments of things that would be especially helpful to the new chapter. The meeting was then adjourned and the remainder of the afternoon was spent in listening to a very well-selected musical program.

DEATH OF W. L. COMSTOCK.

Mr. W. L. Comstock died at his late residence, 1526 West Seventh street, Glendale, Feb. 21, of cerebral hemorrhage, aged fifty-six. Interred at Forest Lawn, after services at the house.

ANOTHER TICKET NOMINATED

The Progressive League's Slate

The Glendale Progressive Club, Mr. E. U. Emery, president, met last evening, with a good representation from all parts of the city, and made the following nominations for the various offices to be filled at the April elections: City trustees, Thomas W. Watson, Frank Showalter and J. W. Lawson; city clerk, Geo. B. Woodberry; treasurer, G. B. Hoffman. The ticket will be designated as the Progressive City ticket. For High School trustees, D. Griswold of Tropico, Charles Young of Eagle Rock and G. E. Williams of Glendale were nominated. For Grammar School trustees, Messrs. Elliott, Balthis and A. B. Heacock of Ninth street were selected.

AN AFTERNOON OF HEARTS.

On Valentine's afternoon Mrs. Chas. Temple gave a Valentine reception in her home on the corner of Orange avenue and Third street.

The guests were received by tiny Marjorie Temple and her cousin, small Mildred Wright of Redondo, and ushered into the parlors, which were most beautifully and artistically adorned with decorations, appropriate to the day. Amidst a profusion of flowers and greenery were long festoons of hearts and arrows. The afternoon was delightfully passed playing Progressive Hearts, at the conclusion of the games handsome prizes were awarded the winners. Delicious heart-shaped refreshments were served. Mrs. Temple being assisted by her sisters, Mrs. I. Wright of Redondo, and Miss Amy Morrell of Highland Park, and Mrs. Charles Evans of Glendale, each of whom wore a dainty heart-shaped apron. The plans for every detail of the afternoon were unusually charming and the affair will long remain in the memories of the guests as one of th emost pleasurable ever experienced.

THE LATIN PLAY.

This play which is to be given at the high school this (Friday) afternoon under the direction of Miss Flood, the teacher of Latin, is attracting wide interest in school circles. "Phormio of Terence" is one of the best of Latin comedies and the cast includes players who have taken part in previous performances of this nature and are well fitted for their parts. From other towns about 200 guests are expected to be in attendance. On account of the limited capacity of the auditorium and the large number of invited out-of-town guests, an admission fee of 25 cents will be charged the general public, the proceeds to go to the free scholarship fund.

OUR NEW SCHOOL HOUSE.

We find the following in a recent issue of the Los Angeles Times:

One of the most attractive of the many new schools projected in nearby towns will be that planned by A. Burnside Sturgis for Glendale. The school will be built on Third street, between Kenwood and Jackson, in that city, and will be two stories in height. The construction will be brick, plastered, with pressed brick trim. The building will contain six classrooms, sewing, sloyd and domestic science rooms, and an assembly room to seat 600 for the present, provision being made for two wings containing four rooms each, and to be added later.

BUILDING PERMITS.

The following are among the permits issued during the past ten days: Milton Hesse, $2,500, Central avenue, between Second and Third streets; S. A. Chase, $2,500, Maryland avenue, south of First street; F. W. Pigg, $3,500, 131 South Brand; Mrs. Mary E. Torrey, $1,500, Burchett, west of Central; Chandler & Lawson, $2,500, Kenwood, near First street; Chandler & Lawson, $3,500, Sixth, near Brand.

The Southern California Editorial Association held a special meeting Saturday last in the Chamber of Commerce rooms, Los Angeles. There was a good atetndance of the newspaper men of the South present. The editors were the guests of Mr. Hartranft of the Western Empire at a luncheon at the Union League Club.

Miss Alta Davis of McMinvell, Oregon, and Miss Pauline Millinghousen of Fresno are house guests at the home of Miss Alpha Clement of North Glendale. Miss Clement has made many plans for the benefit of her guests.

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JUST TALK

The small newspapers of the country are not usually edited by college graduates, nor are they so prosperous, except in rare cases, as to enable them to hire writers of that class, and when in thier columns examples are found in which the English language is variously twisted, the slip can readily be excused. In the journalistic blankets that constitute the output of the daily publications of our large cities, however, the reading public has no call to be so lenient in its judgment. Now such an expression as the "gospel of hatred" jars my sensibilities, and I run across it every now and then in one or the other of the big papers. One need not be a Sunday-school teacher to know that the word "Gospel" means "Good tidings," and its unfitness in the phrase quoted above is very apparent. Another phrase that is open to criticism is that frequently observed in one of our leading Los Angeles papers and that is, "daylight burglar." A burglar in common law and in nearly all the states is a nocturnal house-breaker. The law takes cognizance of the fact that the robber who breaks into an occupied house by daylight is not in the same class as the criminal who does his work by night, and the penalty fixed is less severe. Speaking of these matters reminds me of that one-time popular editor and democratic politician, who died five or six years ago, "Colonel" Jo Lynch for many years editor of the Los Angele Herald. He was a versatile writer with a rather flamboyant style and was addicted to the use of unusual words. He would apparently ransack the dictionary for an obsolete word that suited his purpose and use it until it was worn thin around the edges; then when the Herald readers had become accustomed to it, he would discard it for another equally startling and effective which would be made to do service for weeks in almost every editorial he wrote. Twenty years or so ago Democrats were not so scarce in Los Angeles as they have since become (relatively speaking) and Lynch was a candidate for congress. When on the evening of election day the returns began to come in everything seemed to be going in his favor, although any one else than a person of the Colonel's sanguine temper, might have seen that the issue was still in doubt, for the district was a large one and the returns could not be expected to be all in for two or three days. Lynch, however, would not listen to conservative advice and by midnight he was in the telegraph office sending telegrams to friends everywhere telling of his election as a representative in congress from the "glorious seventh district of California, sir." Then he went and wrote an editorial informing the world of the great event! Later returns showed that his opponent, Romualdo Pacheco, had beaten him by a few votes. It was a great disappointment, he contested the election, but the result was not changed. The Colonel was a high liver and not averse to "looking upon the wine when it is red," a particularly dangerous trait in the editor of a daily newspaper, who writes his own editorials, for the effect is likely to break out in print. Probably this indulgenc inspired the attack he made in th editorial columns, on W. S. Spalding then editor of the Express. I don't remember just what he wrote, but the next morning Spalding loaded up hi little gun, took his station behind a billboard on Spring street near Temple and when the portly form of the colonel appeared, began shooting at it One of the bullets hit a bystander i the leg, but Lynch was unharmed, coincidence which was no doubt appreciated by both parties involved Spalding is now a member of the civi service commission in Los Angeles and when he recalls the affair is doubtless thankful that his marksmanship was a disgrace to the wild west, for "Jo" Lynch, as he was known to every one, was a very likable gentleman whose faults were "writ in water."

Irregular Pulses.

A pulsus paradoxus is a pulse that stops for a moment when you are taking a deep breath. It is nothing very dreadful, though it occasionally worries people to find their pulse has stopped.

A doctor who has been studying the pulse of various people has something interesting to say on the subject. "People get alarmed if their pulse is not regular," he says, "and yet plenty of healthy people have really extraordinary pulses. A dot and carry one pulse is possessed by many people.

The pulses of athletes and others who take violent exercise for a short time go up at a tremendous rate. A runner the doctor experimented upon had a normal pulse beat of 76 to the minute. At the end of a hundred yards race his pulse was going along at 180. At the end of a hurdle race it rose to 204.—London Answers.

A MODEL POULTRY FARM.

Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Young's poultry establishment on Brand Boulevard and Arden Avenue attracted the attention of the NEWS reporter one day recently, and through the courtesy of Mrs. Young he was shown over the yards The lady has only been in the poultry business for three or four years, but is now receiving orders for eggs from many different portions of the United States. The varieties of birds represented run from canaries to the immense Toulouse geese. There is quite an aviary of the former, filled with beautiful and tuneful specimens.

Mrs. Young has varieties of the domestic fowls that are not common here. There are two or three pens of Sumatra Game chickens, the roosters bearing a close resemblanc to the native black cocks of Java—the breed marked by the compact body characteristic of this family. The best rooster and four of the hens were first prize winners at the Madison Square Garden poultry show in New York last year. A bunch of six-months-old pullets are just beginning to lay.

In contrast with these birds are the neighboring pens of White Rock fowls all splendid specimens of that choice breed. One large enclosure contain about forty Indian Runner ducks, trin little birds, the Leghorn of the duck family. It is claimed that the eggs o this variety contain more nutrimen than any other duck egg and are no so strong in flavor. Mrs. Young als has about 150 Pekin ducks, considerably larger than the Runners, weighing six to nine pounds in ninety days

The large pen devoted to geese is populated by the imemnse Toulouse variety, all full grown, splendid specimens.

There are two pens of White Minorca chickens, and two or three of a kind comparatively new here, the Mottled Ancona, which has the distinction of being the breed that ranked first as an egg producer at the government experiment station. This is a small breed. The young ones are black, with only a few white spots, but with increasing age the white increases gradually until when the hen is old it is the dominating color.

In the incubator houses two incubators are now filled, the one with duck and the other with hen eggs. Mrs. Young is an enthusiastic believer in Glendale, and, with Mr. Young, visited many other places in Los Angeles County before selecting their present home, less than a year ago; both being perfectly satisfied with their final decision.

SOCIALISM

MACHINERY AND SOCIALISM.

To discern the relation of the Socialist movement to the era of invention we must look back to primitive industry before the appearance of slavery, during which time all the advance in invention of tools of industry was made, until slavery and serfdom had been outgrown and the workers again had a direct interest in the product of their labor.

It appears that as the race outgrew the tribal barbarism and slavery came to be the dominant method of production all inventions stopped; obviously for the reason that the slave not having any interest in his product did not concern himself with means to increase the product. And the master no doubt found it easier to increase his income by increasing his slaves rather than inventing more effective tools which an unwilling slave would not use. The only advance made during the 4000 years of slavery and serfdom was in implements of warfare; this development led to the passing of slavery and finally to the eviction of many serfs, as feudalism was breaking up. These evicted serfs established the free cities in northern Europe and proceeded to provide for themselves and a new era of invention was begun. For these men having a direct interest in their product, began to invent tools with which to increase their product. The simple hand tools gradually developed into machines. And what was known as free labor in medieval times has changed to be the wage labor of the present.

The great factories, huge machines that they are, have manifolded the product of labor and this product belongs as it has always belonged, to the owners of the tools, and machines When the tools were simple the user owned them individually and what he produced was his. As they grew in size and complexity, it became impossible for one man to operate them. Naturally the most thrifty accumulated profits which enabled him to build the first machines which required more than one to operate, the assistant operator did not share in the product but was given a wage. A fixed amount for his services.

If the thrifty machine owner was a good driver either at getting extra large product from his employes or could drive a good bargain when he came to sell their product, he prospered and got more and greater machines. If he could not drive well he was driven out of the owner's position.

So the machines have grown in size and their ownership has been concentrated until thousands of men, women and children are employed side by side in great factories owned by some one whom they never saw and who likely never saw them. They work for a wage with no interest in their product. Their only demand has been an increase in wages or a slight betterment in working conditions.

Dunn's Mercantile agency shows how futile has been this effort by showing that the increase in wages has been 8 per cent against an increase in the cost of living of 35 per cent.

The great mass of the workers toil on and struggle desperately to keep their wages high enough to stay above the subsistance line.

Slowly they are seeing the relation of the ownership of the machines and the owner getting the product. As rapidly as they see this point they are led to a desire for ownership. Individually they can never own them. The development of the race has forever passed that stage.

That industry may continue to concentrate and finally a score of men own in fact as they now control all industry is unbelievable. Then what?

The collective ownership of the tools of industry, enabling society to provide an opportunity for employment to each member. To secure to each worke the full social value of his product. To eliminate the useless duplications. This has been called Socialism. And the oppressed struggling workers of every country in the world are turning to Socialism, the only way out of the wilderness.

Glendale Socialist Local.

There are some rare occasions in these days of refined table manners when fingers are really permissible instead of forks, and one grows rather rebellious under too much restraint and wishes it were oftener so. Among the things one may eat with the fingers with propriety are radishes, olives, salted nuts, pickles, celery and asparagus where the little tongs are not provided; lettuce, endive or Romaine when cut to dip in French dressing or in salt; strawberries when served with hulls on them, biscuits and all small cakes, pears, peaches, plums, apricots, apples and grapes. Usually the large seeded fruits are pared and quartered. Legs and wings of fowls and birds may be taken in the hand, but it is not considered favorably. The firm cheeses, dry cakes, bonbons and sandwiches are all permitted to be taken in the fingers.—London Express.

The KITCHEN CUPBOARD

PIQUANT PEPPERS.

FOREIGNERS understand how to make use of peppers better than we do. The Italians especially are fond of them and have many ways of preparing them for the table. So far as their food value is concerned, peppers are only a stimulant for the stomach.

Stuffed sweet peppers are served with the vegetables. Cut off the tops of six peppers. Remove the seeds and scald out the inside with water. Take boiled rice, hominy or any cereal which can be cooked stiff and add chopped cold meat.

Prepare a nice seasoning of chopped onions and celery and moisten with stewed tomatoes. Use sugar and salt to taste. Dry the peppers and fill the inside with this mixture. Sprinkle the tops of the peppers with cracker crumbs. Place the stuffed peppers in a baking dish with a little water. Bake for about a half hour.

Pepper and Grapefruit.

Pepper and grapefruit salad is thus made: Slice the tops from six peppers, remove the seeds and scald. Then take grapefruit pulp, fine cut celery and English walnut meats and mix with mayonnaise dressing.

Add some fresh sweet cream beaten stiff in the proportion of one-fourth of a cupful of the cream to one and a quarter cupful of the mixture. Fill the green peppers with this. Add as a garnish to the top of each pepper three walnut meats.

Cucumber salad is improved by adding slices of the green pepper from which the seeds have been removed. The shell of the green pepper chopped fine, seasoned with onion juice and served with vinegar and salt and pepper, is also liked by some lovers of the green peppers.

Pepper Salad.

An appetizing green pepper salad is the following: Cut slices from stem ends of several green peppers and remove the seeds.

Refill with fresh, firm grapefruit cut into cubes, the tenderest stalks of celery cut into small pieces and shredded almonds, allowing twice as much grapefruit as celery, and one-third as many nut meats as grapefruit. Arrange in lettuce leaves and serve with mayonnaise dressing.

Light vegetable salads with French or boiled dressing are usually served at dinner, while heavy meat or fish salad with mayonnaise or cream dressing are served for luncheon or supper.

Anna Thompson.

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CORNWELL & KELTY, Glendale, Calif.

Baffling Boston.

After ten days we were able to find our way around Boston, but not across it. If you start to walk out in Boston you always come back to the place from which you started unless you try to; then it is almost impossible.

The transportation is fine, after you have committed it to memory. The hospitality of Boston we shall always remember, but not its street car directions. A Boston street car acts like a broncho. You never know whether it is going through the air like a bird, under the ground like a mole or beneath the bay like a fish. The motorman seems to make up his mind as he goes along.

The Boston language is sibilant and stylish. The Boston people love the soft boiled "r." Out west folks pronounce "r" a good deal like a dog chewing a bone. In Boston they deal as gently with it as they can, as if it were not to blame for being in the language, although it doesn't belong there.—Horseshoers' Journal.

The Old Oaken Bucket's Gone.

One day's excursion out of Boston is southward through the birthplace and ancestral home of the brilliant essayist Quincy to the boyhood haunts of Woodworth and the scenes which inspired his sweetest lyric. In Scituate, by the village of Greenbush, we find the well of "The Old Oaken Bucket" remaining at the site of the dwelling where the poet was born and reared. Most of the "loved scenes" of his childhood—the wide spreading pond, the venerable orchard, the flower decked meadow, the deep tangled wildwood—may still be seen, little changed since he knew them, but the rock of the cataract has been removed and the cascade itself somewhat altered by the widening of the highway; the "cot of his fathers" has given place to a modern farmhouse, and the "moss covered bucket that hung in the well" has been supplanted by a convenient but unpoetical pump.—Theodore E. Wells, "Literary Shrines."

A Poor Robin Almanac.

One of the scarcest and most amusing of the early English almanacs is entitled "Poor Robin, an Almanack of the Old and New Fashion * * * containing a twofold Kalendar—viz, the Julian, English or Old Account, and the Roundheads, Fanatics, paper-scull'd or Maggotheaded New Account," etc. It is a pamphlet of sixteen pages and is dated London, 1690.

The dedication is "to the world" and in it Poor Robin says: "With Pipers, Ballad-singers and Fiddlers it is a merry World; with Prisoners, Sick-people and Money-less persons it is a sad World; with a Soldier it is a hard World; with a Divine a wicked World; with a Lawyer a contentious World; with a Courtier a slippery World; with most men a mad World, and with all men a bad World." Some of the earlier of these "Poor Robin Almanacks" have been attributed to Robert Herrick.

She Learned the Lesson.

A Baltimore lawyer had an office boy who was given to telling in other offices what happened in that of his chief. The lawyer found it necessary to discharge him, but, thinking to keep him from a similar fault in the future, he counseled the boy wisely on his departure.

"Willie, you must never hear anything that is said in the office," he said. "Do what you are told to do, but turn a deaf ear to conversation that does not include you."

A happy inspiration! He would see that the stenographer learned the same lesson in passing, so, turning to her, he said:

"Miss Brown, did you hear what I said to Willie?"

"No, sir," she returned promptly.—Lippincott's.

Long Sessions in the Commons.

A recent nineteen hours' sitting of the house of commons created a sensation. But it is almost a trifle compared with what happened in the spacious days before the closure was introduced. There was the Irish "night" of July 31 and Aug. 1, 1877, when the chaplain, arriving to read prayers at noon for the Wednesday sitting, found the Tuesday sitting still in progress. "Ah," said Erskine May to him, "we are past praying for." But the record was achieved by the forty-one hours' sitting of Jan. 31 to Feb. 2, 1881.

Uses of Time.

"I saved ten minutes a day at lunch for twenty years."

"What of it?"

"Oh, it was well that I saved all this time, for now I spend two hours daily in the anteroom of a dyspepsia specialist."—Seattle Post-Intelligencer.

Striving Vainly to Please.

"I suppose those garden seeds I sent saved you quite a little money," said the affable statesman.

"No," replied Mr. Growcher; "I hadn't the heart to waste 'em, and the result is that I'm in debt for garden implements."—Washington Star.

Afraid.

"Yes, I proposed, but she said I'd have to ask her mother first."

"And did you?"

"No; I was afraid the mother might accept me."—Judge.

He Kept Quiet.

Householder—Here, drop that coat and clear out! Burglar—You be quiet or I'll wake your wife and give her this letter I found in your pocket.—New York Mail.

He who brings ridicule to bear against truth finds in his hand a blade without a hilt.—Landor.

NOTICE OF SALE OF FRANCHISE TO LAY OIL PIPES.

To Whom it May Concern:

Notice is hereby given that an application has been made to the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, for a franchise granting the right to lay and construct and, for a period of forty years, to maintain and operate a pipe line system to be composed of not more than two separate lines of pipe for the purpose of carrying therein oil, along the route and under and along those certain portions of the streets of the City of Glendale hereinafter described; and that it is proposed by the said Board of Trustees to offer for sale, and grant to the highest bidder said franchise, upon the terms and conditions herein mentioned. The said franchise is described as follows, to-wit:

A franchise to lay and construct, and, for the period of forty years, to maintain and operate a pipe line system to be composed of not more than two separate lines of pipe for the purpose of carrying therein oil, along the route and under and along those certain portions of the streets of the City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, described as follows:

Beginning at the intersection of the northerly boundary of a portion of the corporate limits of the City of Glendale and San Fernando Road; thence along said San Fernando Road to the intersection of the southerly boundary of said portion of the corporate limits of the City of Glendale, all in Township one (1) North, Range thirteen (13) West, S. B. B. & M.

That the terms and conditions upon which said franchise will be offered for sale and granted are as follows, and the grantee of said franchise or assigns shall be required to file a writ, ten acceptance of the terms and conditions thereof with the Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, within thirty days after the passage of the ordinance granting the same.

That the grantee of said franchise, his, its or their successors or assigns, shall have the right to construct and maintain such traps and manholes as may be necessary to afford proper access to said pipes and pipe lines for cleaning and maintaining the same, and said traps and manholes shall at all times be kept flush with the surface of the highway and so located as to conform to any order of the Board of Trustees in regard thereto, and not to interfere with the use of the highway for travel. The grantee of said franchise, his, its or their successors or assigns, shall have the right, subject to such regulations as are now or may hereafter be in force, to make all necessary excavations in said highways for the construction and repair of said pipe lines, traps and manholes.

That the pipes to be laid and maintained under said franchise shall be of steel, of good workmanship and of an internal diameter of not less than eight (8) nor more than ten (10) inches.

That all pipes shall be laid not less than two feet underground, and, unless the Board of Trustees shall otherwise direct, shall be laid along the west side of the highways and shall be within fifteen feet from the property line in all highways sixty feet or less in width, and within five feet of the curb line in all other streets, and shall not be nearer than three feet to the macadamized portion of all macadamized roads; and where it is necessary to lay said line through the border of any macadamized road, the same shall be restored to its original condition; and in the event it is necessary to cross any portion of a macadamized road, the same shall be done by a tunnel or bore, so as not to disturb the foundation of such macadamized road, and in the event the same cannot thus be done, the said crossing shall be made under a special permit to be granted by the Board of Trustees upon application therefor, said application to be accompanied with a drawing, specifications and explanations, showing the necessity for the same. That during the laying or repairing of any such pipes, any trench or excavation made for such purposes shall, at night-time, from sunset to sunrise, be barricaded and protected by lanterns placed at distances of not more than 40 feet apart, along such trench or excavation.

That every pipe-line constructed or maintained under the provisions of this franchise shall be constructed and maintained in accordance and conformity with all of the ordinances, rules and regulations now in force and that may hereafter be adopted and prescribed by the Board of Trustees of said city.

That the work of laying or repairing such pipes or other appliances shall be conducted with the least possible hindrance to the use of said highways for the purposes of travel, and as soon as the laying or repairing of any pipe or appliance is completed, all portions of the highways which have been excavated or otherwise injured thereby shall be placed in as good condition as the same were before the laying of such pipes, to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees of said city. That any damage or injury suffered by any person by reason of any excavation being improperly guarded during said work shall be borne by the grantee of said franchise, his or its successors or assigns.

That said city reserves the right to change the grade of any highway or portion thereof over which said franchise shall be granted, and the grantee of said franchise, his or its successors or assigns, shall at once change the location of all pipes and other appliances laid under said franchise so as to conform to such change of grade. That if any portion of any of said highways shall be damaged by reason of leaks in any pipe laid under said franchise, the grantee of such franchise, his or its successors or assigns, shall, at his, its or their own expense repair any such damage and put said highway in as good condition as before such leak, to the satisfaction of the Board of Trustees of said city.

That if the grantee of said franchise, his or its successors or assigns, shall fail to comply with any of the instructions of said Board of Trustees with respect to the location of any portion of said system of pipes and pipe-lines, or the repair of any damage to highways, within ten days after the service of written notice upon said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, requiring compliance therewith then said Board of Trustees may immediately do whatever work is necessary to carry out said instructions, at the cost and expense of said grantee his or his successors or assigns, which costs, by the acceptance of said franchise, said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, agree to pay upon demand.

That the work of constructing and laying said system of pipes and pipelines shall be commenced in good faith within not more than four months from the granting of the said franchise, and shall be continuously prosecuted thereafter in good faith and without unnecessary or avoidable intermission or delay. That within six months from taking effect of this ordinance a sum of not less than $50,000.00 shall be expended upon such pipe-lines. That such work of construction shall be completed within not more than three years from and after the date of granting the franchise. That if said work be not so commenced, prosecuted and completed within the times and in the manner specified, said franchise shall be forfeited.

That the said grantee and his or its successors or assigns shall, during the life of said franchise, pay to the said city, in lawful money of the United States, two per cent of the gross annual receipts of such grantee and his or its successors or assigns arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise. No percentage shall be paid for the first five years succeeding the date of said franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually.

And it shall be the duty of the grantee of said franchise, and of his or its successors or assigns, to file with the Clerk of the said Board of Trustees at the expiration of six years from the date of the granting of said franchise, and at the expiration of each and every year thereafetr, a statement, verified by the oath of said grantee or his or its successors or assigns or by the oath of the manager or presiding officer of said grantee or his or its successors or assigns, showing in detail the total gross receipts and gross earning collected or received by said grantee or his or its successors or assigns during the preceding twelve months, arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise, and within ten days after the time for filing the aforesaid statement, it shall be the duty of said grantee and his or its successors or assigns to pay to the City Treasurer of said city the aggregate sum of the said percentage upon the amount of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise, and if the amount paid is incorrect, in the judgment of the Board of Trustees, they may order the payment of such additional sum as they may find due hereunder, and if not paid, the same may be collected by suit. And any neglect, omission or refusal by said grantee or his or its successors or assigns to file said verified statement, or to pay the said percentage of the said gross annual receipts at the times or in the manner hereinbefore provided, shall ipso facto work a forfeiture of said franchise and of all rights thereunder to the said city.

That said grantee or his or its successors or assigns shall not sell, transfer, assign or lease said franchise or any part thereof, or any of the rights or privileges granted thereby, except by a duly executed instrument in writing filed in the office of the Board of Trustees of said city, and nothing in said franchise contained shall be construed to grant to said grantee or his or its successors or assigns any right to sell, transfer or assign or lease said franchise or any of the rights or privileges thereby granted except in the manner aforesaid.

That any neglect, failure or refusal to comply with any of the conditions of said franchise shall thereupon immediately ipso facto effect a forfeiture thereof, and the said city by its Board of Trustees may thereupon declare said franchise forfeited, and may exclude said grantee or his or its successors or assigns from further use of the highways of said city under said franchise; and said grantee and his or its successors or assigns shall thereupon and immediately surrender all rights in and to the same, and said franchise shall be deemed and shall remain null, void and of no effect.

Notice is hereby given that sealed bids in writing will be received at the office of said Board of Trustees for said franchise up to 7:30 o'clock p. m. of the 15th day of April, 1912.

That the bids received will be opened at that time; that all bids must be for the payment of a stated sum in gold coin of the United States; and that the franchise will be struck off, sold and awarded to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, provided, only, that at the time of opening said bids any responsible person, firm or corporation, present or represented, may bid for said franchise a sum not less than ten per cent, above the highest sealed bid therefor, and that said bid so made may be raised not less than ten per cent. by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may so continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Trustees to the highest bidder therefor in gold coin of the United States, and provided further that the Board of Trustees reserve the right to reject any and all bids.

Each sealed bid must be accompanied with cash, or a certified check, payable to the City Treasurer of said city, for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid will be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith; and the successful bidder must deposit at least ten per cent. of the amount of his bid with the Clerk of said city before said franchise will be struck off to him, and if he shall fail to make such deposit immediately, his bid will not be received and will be considered as void, and said franchise will then and there be again offered for sale to the bidder who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, subject to the same conditions as to deposit as above mentioned. Said procedure will be had until said franchise is struck off, sold and awarded to a bidder who shall make the necessary deposit of at least ten per cent. of the amount of his bid, as herein provided. Said successful bidder shall deposit with the City Clerk within twenty-four hours after the acceptance of his bid the remaining ninety per cent. of the amount thereof, and in case he or it fails to do so, then the said deposit thereto fore made will be forfeited, and the award of said franchise will be void, and said franchise will then and there, by said Board of Trustees, be again offered for sale to the highest bidder therefor, in the same manner and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided, and in case said bidder fails to deposit with the City Clerk the remaining ninety per cent. of his bid within twenty-four hours after its acceptance, the award to him of said franchise will be set aside, and the deposit theretofore made by him will be forfeited, and no further proceedings for the sale of said franchise will be had until the same shall be readvertised for sale.

Notice is also hereby given that the successful bidder for said franchise must within five days after said franchise is awarded to him or it, file with said Board of Trustees a bond running to said city in the penal sum of five hundred dollars ($500.00), with at least two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by said Board of Trustees, conditioned that said bidder will construct said pipe-lines and shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of said franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of said bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond. If said bond be not so filed, the award of said franchise will be set aside, and any money paid therefor will be forfeited.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale made at a regular meeting of said Board on the 19th day of February, 1912.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk and Ex-Officio Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, California.

Two Views of the Same Question.

A noted bishop in order to point a lesson in humility sometimes tells a story of a young clergyman whose first appointment was to be an out of the way and poor parish.

On his first Sunday in this new station the young man as he looked over his wretchedly clad and ignorant congregation could not help saying to himself, with a groan:

"Dear me, what a dreadful thing it would be if I should have to stay here any great length of time!"

At the end of the sermon a deacon made a prayer. To the young man's horror one part of the prayer was a benevolent hope that "this ignorant, inexperienced, barren pastor that had lately come to the parish might improve and grow learned and fruitful in good works, so that he would come to merit being kept on there for awhile."

Where Books Were Pawned.

In primitive days books had a recognized and settled value. We know how they were exchanged for a horse or half a dozen sheep, but few people know the extent to which books were pawned in the middle ages. Oxford at one time had twenty giant chests full of these valuable pledges, and the process when stock was taken had to be conducted with care. The book fairs served to alter things, and presently as Smithfield market grew it set up a subservient industry on its outskirts, where the butchers sold skins and the parchment dealers bought. And this bookish street on the edge of Smithfield under the shadow of St. Paul's bore the pious name of Paternoster row.—Pall Mall Gazette.

Why She Left Them at Home.

"Have you any references?" asked the lady of the house.

"Yes, ma'am. A lot of 'em."

"Then why didn't you bring them with you?"

"They're just like my photographs, ma'am. None of 'em does me justice."—Detroit Free Press.

Surprised.

Lady—I am surprised, little boy, to see you smoking that cigar. Boy—I'm s'prised myself, lady; I thought the man would never drop it.—Philadelphia Telegram.

Distance to Towns from Glendale

TOWN	MILES
Chatsworth	20
San Fernando	17
Toluca	9
Burbank	4
Hollywood	5
Sawtelle	15
Sherman	12
Los Angeles	7
Monte Vista	12
La Crescenta	6
La Canada	7
Eagle Rock	2
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Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 823 Santee St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Kwality Feather Co., and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Louis C. Le Count, 1951 Santee St., Los Angeles, Cal.
Francis F. Ross, 1725 Arapahoe St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 10th day of January, 1912.

LOUIS C. LE COUNT,
FRANCIS F. ROSS.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 10th day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Louis C. Le Count and Francis F. Ross, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business in the State of California, under the name of Western Sales Company, as a co-partnership; that the principal place of business is 426 South Spring St., Room 720 Delta Building, City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California; that the full names of all the members of said partnership and their places of residence are as follows:

L. B. Allen, residing at 1901 South Grand Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.
S. A. Beadle, residing at 1901 South Grand Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our signatures this 22nd day of January, 1912.

LYMAN B. ALLEN,
STANLEY A. BEADLE.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 22nd day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Lyman B. Allen and Stanley A. Beadle, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 333 New High St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of P. Herbold Leaf Tobacco Company, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Phillip Herbold, 1125½ Sentous St., Los Angeles, Cal.
Louise H. Herbold, 1125½ Sentous St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 22nd day of January, 1912.

PHILLIP HERBOLD,
LOUISE H. HERBOLD.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 22nd day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Phillip Herbold and Louise H. Herbold, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 1616 Tennessee St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Wide-a-Wake Overall Laundry, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Arthur M. Laudeman, 1422 East Sixteenth St., Los Angeles, Cal.
Michael M. Welch, 1468 East Twenty-second St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 21st day of January, 1912.

MICHAEL M. WELCH,
ARTHUR M. LAUDEMAN.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 21st day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Arthur M. Laudeman and Michael M. Welch, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at Ocean Park, California, under the fictitious firm name of Paul C. Enders & Company, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Paul C. Enders, 1327 Wright St., Los Angeles, Cal.
Willy Sondershausen, 717 South Flower St., Los Angeles, Cal.
Georg Struver, 1327 Wright St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness our hands this 22nd day of January, 1912.

PAUL C. ENDERS,
WILLY SONDERSHAUSEN,
GEORG STRUVER.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 5th day of February, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Paul C. Enders, Willy Sondershausen and Georg Struver, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a real estate business at 702 South Spring St., Room 233, Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of New England Realty Co., and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Thatcher P. Wilson, 2260 West Twenty-eighth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 22nd day of January, 1912.

THATCHER P. WILSON.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 22nd day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Thatcher P. Wilson, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 223 West Second St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of the Eastern Tailoring Company, and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Jacob White, 645½ North Grand Ave., Los Angeles, California.

Witness my hand this 21st day of February, 1912.

JACOB WHITE.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 21st day of February, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Jacob White, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF PARTNERSHIP.
Fictitious Name.

We, the undersigned, do hereby certify that we are partners and are engaged in conducting and carrying on a real estate and investment business under the fictitious name of "Occidental Sales Company"; that the principal place of business of said firm is room No. 609 of the Laughlin Building, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and that said partnership is composed of the following persons, whose names in full and places of residence are as follows:

Grace H. Wyckoff, 411 S. Boylston St., Los Angeles, California.
Otto H. Wyckoff, 411 S. Boylston St., Los Angeles, California.

Witness our hands this 15th day of February, 1912.

OTTO H. WYCKOFF,
GRACE H. WYCKOFF.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 15th day of February, 1912, before me, Hartley Shaw, a Notary Public in and for said County and State, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Grace H. Wyckoff and Otto H. Wyckoff, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

[Seal] HARTLEY SHAW,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at Bell, California, under the fictitious firm name of Bell Feed and Supply Company, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Albert B. Banks, Bell, Cal.
Emma R. Banks, Bell, Cal.

Witness our hands this 27th day of December, 1911.

ALBERT B. BANKS,
EMMA R. BANKS.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 27th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Albert B. Banks and Emma R. Banks, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned does hereby certify that I am conducting a business at 5841 South Main St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Monarch Screen and Manufacturing Co., and that said firm is composed of the following person, whose name and address is as follows, to wit:

Josiah R. Kelley, 1716 West Twenty-fourth St., Los Angeles, Cal.

Witness my hand this 27th day of December, 1911.

JOSIAH R. KELLEY.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 27th day of December, in the year nineteen hundred and eleven, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Josiah R. Kelley, known to me to be the person whose name is subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that he executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

CERTIFICATE OF BUSINESS.
Fictitious Firm Name.

The undersigned do hereby certify that we are conducting a business at 837-839 South Spring St., Los Angeles, California, under the fictitious firm name of Auto Supply and Wrecking Place, and that said firm is composed of the following persons, whose names and addresses are as follows, to wit:

Thomas A. Moody, 1528 Sixth St., Santa Monica, Cal.
George Moody, 1551 Sixth St., Santa Monica, Cal.

Witness our hands this 5th day of January, 1912.

THOMAS A. MOODY,
GEO. MOODY.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 5th day of January, in the year nineteen hundred and twelve, before me, Wirt C. Smith, a Notary Public in and for said County, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared Thomas A. Moody and George Moody, known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

Witness my hand and official seal.
[Seal] WIRT C. SMITH,
Notary Public in and for said County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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The city of Alhambra has contracted with the Pacific Light and Power Company for a flat rate of $1.20 for lights.

In the columns of the Los Angeles Express the other day the following item was republished from the files of twenty-five years ago: "Glendale expects to be connected with Los Angeles by steam dummy railroad in a short time." And it came to pass.

Messrs. McClure and Stamatts have issued the first number of the Stanton Optimist, a new journalistic venture in the new town of Stanton, in Orange county. The first issue is well illustrated and edited, and promises well for the future. Mr. McClure recently sold the Burbank Review to its present proprietor, H. E. Lawrence.

ROOSEVELT A CANDIDATE.

Our ex-president announces his determination to attempt to secure, or at least to accept if proffered, a nomination for a third term. This does not clear the political situation greatly, but it adds to its interest. It does not seem likely that the followers of La Follette, the logical leader of the "Progressives," will accept as a leader, however attractive his personality or great his reputation, one who is but a recent convert to their faith, for Mr. Roosevelt's adoption of the "new thought" in politics is of recent date. It will also embarrass the progressives to explain why, with their platform of principles, not men," they have dropped their real Moses and taken up with the more popular personality.

AN EFFICIENT OFFICER WHO SHOULD BE RETAINED.

In failing to put upon the ticket selected for support at the municipal election in April, the name of Mr. G. B. Woodberry for city clerk, the Glendale Civic League meeting last Tuesday evening must certainly have acted without full knowledge on the part of many of its members. If there is any official connected with our city government who might be classed as "indispensable" it is City Clerk Woodberry. Having served the municipality since its beginning, being thorough and methodical in his work, he is peculiarly well adapted to the position, an adaptation which could not be acquired by any other man however competent, without months of experience. If the citizens of Glendale are desirous of good work in the city clerk's office, they will nominate and re-elect Mr. Woodberry to fill that office as long as he can be induced to do so.

IN MEXICO.

The situation in Mexico is apparently becoming more hopeless day by day. Madero appears to be a man of good intentions but without a dependable army behind him there is but little prospect of his keeping the republic together. Possibly there are enough people there animated by an unselfish spirit of patriotism, to get together and uphold a stable government, but there is as yet no indication of the existence of any such general spirit of devotion to country. The leaders of the numerous factions seem only to consider their own personal desires, while the federal soldiers are apparently animated by no idea of patriotism. It is quite probable, however, that if the United States should be compelled to interfere for the sake of bringing order out of anarchy, the Mexican people would unite for the time being to oppose the invader, so that the war that would result would be a pretty serious affair. Altogether the prospects on the other side of our southern boundary line are not cheerful to contemplate.

FURNISHED ROOMS WANTED.

There are inquiries made at the NEWS office every few days for furnished rooms, information which we are unable to supply. Are there none in the community or are the proprietors of them attempting to save a few cents by refraining from advertising the fact? Anyhow the demand exceeds the supply and it is a matter that ought to be remedied. These accommodations are usually wanted by strangers in the community and the spirit of hospitality and good business tactics demands that these people should not be turned away, for the visitor who becomes sufficiently interested to wish to abide with us a short time will in all probability in the end remain with us to assist in the city's upbuilding. If people have such rooms and cannot afford to advertise them the NEWS agrees to conduct an information bureau free. List your rooms at once.

POLL TAX.

We are glad to notice that sentiment in favor of abolishing the poll tax is not quite unanimous. It remains to be seen how many of our legislators will have the courage to oppose this foolish proposition. J. D. Sweeney, a veteran teacher of Red Bluff, says:

"There are two sides to the matter of abolishing the poll tax. The assessors are always opposed to the poll tax because it is difficult to collect and makes them unpopular with the tax dodgers. Yet it must be remembered that this amounts to three-quarters of a million dollars a year, and that it all goes to the support of the schools. Wipe this out without making provision for other money to take its place and the loss to the schools will be embarrassing in the extreme. It will have to be met by raising the taxes on property. It is a popular thing to abolish the poll tax, but it is well to look before the leap; well to consider carefully what use is made of the money and what will supply the lack, well to find out whether it is really a reform backward or forward."

This is in accord with what the NEWS has said, that the money raised by this tax now being devoted to school purposes, must be raised in some other manner if this tax is abolished. The proposition would not have been seriously considered had it not been for the passage of the equal suffrage amendment. It is a cowardly compromise proposed by politicians who acknowledge the fact that the poll tax is a tax on all voters (under 60 years) and must logically be imposed upon them, regardless of sex; if collected at all.

GOVERNMENT BY THE PEOPLE.

However much difference of opinion may exist as to laws and methods no one can doubt but that the people desire that which is right and just in their government, but the idea prevalent in some quarters that the people are infallibly right in their ideas upon any subject is not founded on any logical basis. The world is full of individuals who mean well but whose life, judged by our worldly standards, is a failure. And that which is true in the singular must inevitably remain so in the plural; the multiplication of error does not make wisdom. The individual who having made one mistake or more, but who keeps on trying will probably succeed at last and the experience of the masses will be similar. There is much talk nowadays about "government by the people," as if it was a new discovery? In this country the people always govern. Sometimes they have done it badly, because they have not exerted themsives to do it well, but always the people had the power under the law to right the wrongs in their government. Always the responsibility of the government has been theirs. When the people exercise authority through chosen representatives, they are as truly exercising it as though they directly passed upon every trivial or important issue, and the probability is that they are governing much more wisely through their chosen representatives. If the ideal democracy could be realized and the people through the ballot or otherwise could have a direct voice in every detail of government, they would have no time to attend to anything else. There is a positive evil in a multiplicity of laws and it is far better that the thoughts of the people should be led toward a desire to do the thing that is right, rather than that they should have to turn to the code to find out what it is. The Jews were at one time a powerful nation, a great people, but they suffered from the infliction of too many laws. Almost every action of their daily life was covered by a statute made to fit the case. The result was that they became adepts in keeping the letter of the law and breaking it in the spirit. Then there came to them the Teacher who "Spake as never man spake." He took the ten commandments upon which their legal structure rested, revivified them, added another which embraced them all, "that ye love one another," and the elaborate system passed into the dust of the ages with the kingdom that had rested upon them, while the new and simple code became the corner stone of a world's faith.

WHAT STOCKTON THINKS.

This comes from Stockton—When a crank has nothing left to do at home, he goes to Los Angeles to live. They are as thick as blackberries in a swamp down there. Some wear their hair long and some short; some wear pants and some wear panties; and they all vote for Hiram Johnson and down with the demon Rum! The streets are full of them; and the public halls simply can't hold them. The welkin down there sounds like an old cowbell—they have made it ring so much. You can get anything in the way of a bug that ever was heard of on earth or in the waters under the earth. No wonder we have a laughing-jackass in the United States Senate. **He comes from Los Angeles.** The latest freak of Bugville-in-the-Sun is a municipally-owned daily newspaper, with a municipal subsidy of $3000 a month, and a municipal commission to edit and manage it, said aggregation of newspaper talent consisting of one meat-carpenter, one legal jawsmith and one sawbones, with his name parted in the middle. The ordinance compels them to give the Good Government League and the Socialists one column of space each, and the same space to the mayor and city councilmen; and they must cover the important news of the city, with particular attention to the municipal news. Now, this is no joke. It's the God's truth. Oh, dear, oh, dear; Oh me, oh, my! Oh, dear! What a peach, what a peach this thing will be! Exchange with it? We would not miss it for anything. Why, we'd BUY the darned thing if we had to go to any such extreme to enjoy this fearful and wonderful product of Bugville in her freakiest mood.—Stockton Mail.

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He Was In a Hurry.

Charles Mouselet in his "Curiosites Litteraries" tells of a friend of his living at Bordeaux who, glancing through a Paris bookseller's catalogue, saw the title of a book which he had vainly sought for thirty years. Looking at the clock, he found there was just time to catch the morning express for Paris. Stopping only to take some money from his cash box, he dashed off to the station and arrived at the bookshop in time to secure the prize. As he wrapped up the book the shopman remarked, "I suppose you live in this street, monsieur." "No; I have just come from Bordeaux," was the reply. The man looked astonished, and the bibliophile discovered that in his eagerness he had traveled 360 miles in dressing gown and slippers and had never noticed any deficiency of attire.

M'GROARTY'S PRAYER FOR RAIN.

Lord seest thou pot, beside the way,
The drooping flowers,
That week by week and day by day
Cry for thy showers?

Hear'st thou not the plaintive song
The wild birds sing
That in the withered woodlands throng
With dusty wing?

The bare, brown hills, the blanching plains,
The silent vale,
They fade and sicken for thy rains,
In sore travail.

The wild folks of the forest keeps
Wail in the night,
And, 'neath the loam, the poppy sleeps,
Shut from the light.

Lord, in thy wide flung, bending sky
Afar there broods,
Where veiled and mist-swept oceans lie,
Thy cloud-pent floods.

Send thou from thence the singing rain,
The laughing streams,
On this dear land of hill and plain
Thou mad'st of dreams—

This land of dreams thou mad'st so fair,
So fair and sweet,
Set like a jeweled footstool, there
To rest thy feet.

The earth will blossom at thy word—
O speak it, then;
We ask it of thy mercy, Lord,
In thy dear name. Amen!

—John S. McGroarty.

EXEMPTION OF SOLDIERS FROM TAXATION.

Assemblyman Randall of Highland Park, who is the author of the constitutional amendment recently adopted exempting all who have served the country in time of war, from taxation is receiving scores of letters with regard to the operation of the law. In view of the fact that the assessor begins his round at once, Mr. Randall is anxious that every veteran shall receive its benefits, and has sent the following staetment to the press:

"Circulars of instruction have been sent to all city and county assessors, but they are not required to give the exemption unless it is asked for when the assessor comes. Every person who served in any of the wars in which this country has been engaged, including the Philippine insurrection, is entitled to have $1000 of his property entirely exempted from city, county or state taxation, wherever it may be located in this state. The property may be in one county and the owner may live in another. Or lacking such amount of property as necessary to equal $1000; and $1000 of the property of the widow of any soldier or of the widowed mother, and the property of pensioned widows, fathers and mothers is exempt. This is the most effective exemption law ever passed in any state, its designs being to give aid to every needy person dependent upon the patriotic men who served their country in its hour of peril. The only restriction provided is that persons who are worth over $5000 shall receive no exemption."

Blanks, which can be secured at the county assessor's office after March 1, must be filled in by all persons asking exemption under this law.

Mr. and Mrs. O. C. Lane, of Sonora street, Burbank, celebrated very pleasantly their thirty-second wedding anniversary last Sunday with a family reunion and turkey dinner. Three beautiful cakes were brought in at the last course, each one decorated in different colors of frosting, with the date of marriage, 1880, and 1912. Among the presents received was a fine painting by Mrs. S. J. Lane, mother of O. A. and O. C. Lane. The four generations were present, covers being laid for fourteen. Congratulations were received. An auto ride closed the day's pleasure.

Britain's Tongues.

Within the narrow compass of the British isles no fewer than seven languages are spoken. They are English, Welsh, Erse (in Ireland), Manx (in the Isle of Man, where until recently church services were conducted in that tongue), Gaelic (in Scotland), French in the Channel islands and Cornish in Cornwall. Though the total for his own islands is seven tongues, yet is the Englishman said to be the poorest linguist in the world.

A Preference.

"I shall leave my reputation to be judged by posterity."

"That's a good idea," replied Senator Sorghum. "The way things are going I'd much rather take my chances with posterity than with an investigating committee."—Washington Star.

An Exception.

"Who was it wrote 'Distance lends enchantment to the view?'"

"I don't know, but I'll bet he never sat on the gable end of a house and watched a ball game that was going on two blocks away."—Chicago Record-Herald.

After the Secrets.

"Ma's just crazy to serve on a jury."

"That so?"

"Yes; she says she wants to be one of the first to tell the secrets of the jury room."—Detroit Free Press.

Overdoing It.

"She married him to reform him."

"And what was the result?"

"He's so good now that he's shocked at nearly everything she does."—Boston Transcript.

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FOR SALE—A $45.00 Wood Range for $22.00. Been used a short time. Inquire 311 Glendale Ave. x

FOR SALE—Cut-Under-Surrey, but little used. Cheap. C. M. Walton. Sunset 431 R. 45 tf

FOR SALE—A Jersey-Holstein cow; good milker. Home phone 742 x

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FOR SALE—One cockerel, twelve Rhode Island Red hens, 10 months old. Phone Home 1693.

FOR SALE—Fine Rhode Island Red rooster, cheap, some broilers. Table and Rhode Island Red hatching eggs. Inquire at Carney's Shoe Store, 536 Fourth street.

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FOR SALE CHEAP—Nine dozen White Leghorn pullets, all laying. Coop and corral wire; four brooders; book case; bed and other articles. 746 Verdugo road.

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WANTED—To buy second-hand Furniture for cash. Jewel City Furniture Co. Sunset 372.

WANTED—Woman wants work by the hour, or washing to be done at her home. 1201 Park Ave. Sunset phone 363 R. x

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LOST—Between the G.A.R. hall on Glendale avenue and the Methodist parsonage, Tropico, Thursday evening, February 22, a silver fork. Finder will kindly return to Methodist parsonage on Central avenue, Tropico, and receive reward.

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The Glendale Artificial Stone Co., located at corner Third street and Isabella street, are now ready to do all kinds of artificial stone or concrete work. W. E. Tarr, Mgr., Tel. 1074. 7tf

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Arrowsmith, the Tailor, will tell you how you may get a part of the $150 advertising premium he is going to give away very soon. Have your Suit made through his co-operative tailoring proposition. $2.00 per week or cash. 568 West Fourth St.

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Sherbets and fancy bricks at Nesom's Drug Store. Delivered at Los Angeles prices.

The Diamond Market will put in a full line of meats and move to its new store, 708 West Fourth street about March 1.

Now is the time to plant peas, turnips, cabbage, onions, carrots, beets, roses, palms, lawns, etc. Orange trees a specialty. Watson & Son. Sunset Phone 29 R. tf

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The library is open for the benefit of the public every day except Sunday, from 2 to 8:30.
LIBRARIAN.

NOTICE TO BUILDERS.
The trustees of the Glendale City School District will receive bids for furnishing lockers, 200 or over, and for furnishings, seats, etc., for auditorium for Intermediate school building at Third and Jackson streets, Glendale. Specifications can be learned from any one of the trustees.
Bids will be received at the office of R. A. Blackburn, 549 West Fourth street, Glendale, 730 p. m., March 2, 1912.
2w44 F. S. BALTHIS, Clerk.

POSITIONS WANTED.
A Japanese and his wife would like positions in a home, or two separate homes. They will do gardening, general housework and laundry work. For particulars inquire of Mr. S. Mori, at Mrs. Leavitt's, N. Glendale Ave. Telephone number, 495 R. 44 4t x

NEW MARKET TO BE OPENED.
The Glendale Diamond Market now located on Fourth street near Glendale avenue will move into the room now occupied as the City Hall, 708 West Fourth street, as soon as the city officials vacate it, about March 1st. Mr. Hoffman the proprietor will add a full line of meats to his present list of supplies.

If you want to plan and talk dressmaking, call or telephone to 717 N. Louise St. Florence L. Padelford. Home phone 1082. 44 tf

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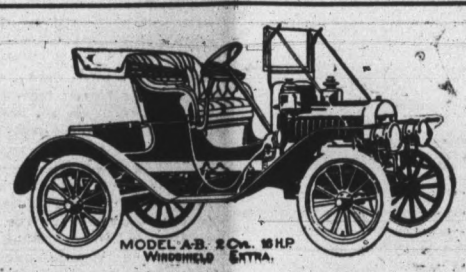

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NOTICE OF STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Notice is hereby given that a special meeting of the stockholders of the Glendale News Company, a corporation, will be held on the 5th day of March, 1912, at 7:30 p. m., at 1211 Maple St., in the City of Glendale, California, for the purpose of electing a Board of Directors, and for the transaction of such other business as may legally come before said meeting.
By order of the Board of Directors of the Glendale News Company.
FRANK MUHLEMAN, Secretary.

The Ideal R. I. Red Poultry Ranch
Invites all interested in fine poultry to pay our ranch a visit and inspect the same. We can supply eggs in any quantity, 100 and up, at $4.00 per hundred. Single settings from $1.00 to $1.50. Baby chicks at 12½c each, or $10.00 per hundred. Orders booked ahead for eggs and chicks.
We have gone to much expense purchasing our male birds from the famous Ricksecker Ranch at Kansas City, Mo., and have No. 1 stock. Also have one and two-year-old cockerels for sale at $1.50 up. Fifty fine birds to select from.
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Sunset Phone 410-J
Or take Burbank car to Brand Station and go one block north.

NOTICE TO CREDITORS
Estate of Julia Spencer Robinson, deceased.
Notice is hereby given by the undersigned executor of the estate of Julia Spencer Robinson, deceased, to the creditors of, and all persons having claims against the said deceased, to exhibit the same with the necessary vouchers, within ten months after the first publication of this notice to the said executor at his residence, corner of Ninth Street and Verdugo Road, in the City of Glendale, which is the place for the transaction of the business of said estate in the county of Los Angeles.
Dated this 14th day of February, A. D. 1912.
SPENCER ROBINSON, Executor.
SHAW & STEWART, Attorneys for estate. 4w-43

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And all kinds of hauling with auto truck or teams. All kinds of team work and plowing. Kindling wood for sale.
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G. W. Custard has bought the Chocolate Shop, next Newberry's Store on Fourth street where first-class home-made candies of the highest grade will be found at all times. A soda fountain is also running on full time supplying that "long felt want" this dry weather.

We note with much interest the way some of our enterprising local dealers are putting forth every effort this spring to make their stores attractive. This week Cornwell & Kelty, whose progressive policy has been strongly shown this spring by their large, attractive advertisements in our columns, have a fine window devoted entirely to house paint.

On close inspection one finds not only the usual display of paint cans, but fong cards showing rows of houses in new and handsome combinations of colors for exterior painting. An attractive window border brightens the appearance of the whole store and draws much attention from the passers-by. It attractively illustrates how easily and well any shabby surface in or about the house can be fixed up.

Cornwell & Kelty deserve much credit for this window and we are sure it will prove of much benefit in reminding people of the many things around their homes that can easily be beautified at house-cleaning time.

FINE CORN BEEF.
At the Glendale Market.

NEW FIRM OPEN OFFICE.
Mr. E. J. Zerr and Mr. R. D. Brown have formed a partnership in the engineering and surveying business and opened offices in the Filger block, as will be seen by reference to advertisement in this issue. Mr. Zerr is well known in Glendale. Mr. Brown has been connected with the engineering department of the Santa Fe Railroad.

Chandler & Lawson have moved into their new offices in the Central building on Fourth street near the depot. Their new quarters consist of two large rooms appropriately furnished and where this well known firm will no doubt continue as heretofore to sell large and small chunks of the earth.

FISH! FISH! FISH!
Strictly fresh and dressed right at the Glendale Market.

CENTRAL STABLES.
Next week it's going to rain—maybe. Just now is a good time to look around the country while the sun shines. Come to the Central Stables and let us make you as happy as your conscience and the weather will permit. The best rigs and saddle horses. CENTRAL STABLES, Fourth and Maryland. Both Phones.

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Yes! going to give away $150 to advertise my fine tailoring. You pay for your Suit by the week. Ask Arrowsmith the Tailor about it. 568 West Fourth St.

GLENDALE STABLES.
These beautiful moonlight nights suggest hay rides. We have just the transportation you need. Rigs of all kinds yours to choose from. Remember that our patrons never are dissatisfied—everything as represented. You will find the best livery accommodations at 328 Glendale Ave.

FISH! FISH! FISH!
Strictly fresh and dressed right at the Glendale Market.

BOARD FOR CHILDREN.
Children cared for at my home by hour or week. Best attention. For engagements phone Glendale 581 R.

WANTED TO BUY.
A chicken ranch of one or two acres small California house preferred; no objection to distance from car line. HAL DAVENPORT, Tropico. Phone Sunset 255. x

IF YOU WANT THE BEST
Try the Glendale Market.

The advertisement of Mr. McSwain, the enterprising proprietor of the Eagle Rock meat market, will be found elsewhere in our columns.

Mrs. F. W. McIntyre of Cedar street entertained Mrs. Frank Andrews of Topeka, Kas., at luncheon during the week.

Miss Dorothy Dow of Orange street received a number of her friends at her home on Saturday evening. A pleasant time was enjoyed playing cards and dancing. Guests were Miss Elsie Church, Miss May Church, Miss Gladys Anderson, Miss Alice Grey Beach, Miss Gladys Everett, Miss Frances Payne, Miss Edith Waterman, Mr. John Beach, Mr. Howard Bradley, Mr. Frank Brown, Mr. Willard Brown, Mr. Holman Midcalf, Mr. Lynn Speckerman, Mr. Leon Bachman and Mr. Walter Deacon.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad S. Davis of 420 West Ninth street, entertained at their home Wednesday evening, Feb. 21. The early part of the evening was devoted to cards, following which a dainty Dutch supper was served at 10:30. The remainder of the time was spent in dancing. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Davis were Miss Cecil Varner, Miss Gertrude Newing, Miss Cora Graham, Miss Anna Graham, Miss Grace Hetzold, Mr. Jack Weatherby, Mr. Ralph Hinsman, Mr. Ray Hinsman, Mr. Leon Davis, Mr. Mr. Charles O'Neil.

Friday afternoon the Sixth Street Parent-Teacher Association will meet in the Sixth Street school. The program will be in charge of Mrs. Harry Whaley, chairman of the membership committee, and Mrs. M. A. Begg, Mrs. A. L. Burson, Mrs. L. A. Wood, Mrs. J. A. Cole, Mrs. Frank Grosvenor and Mrs. J. Heild, other members of the committee. The program will consist of musical and literary numbers rendered by Miss Vera Lathrope, reader and pianist, and Miss Neta Vehem, violinist, both of Los Angeles. Following the program light refreshments will be served.

Social and Personal

Something About People You Know

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Martell, of De Kalb, Ill., were Glendale callers Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Emery of Kenwood street enjoyed a delightful week end at Catalina.

Mrs. M. E. Quick of Los Angeles is visiting her daughter, Mrs. W. R. Newton of East Second street.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Hilliard entertained at their home on Kenwood street Wednesday evening.

Miss Shirley Hitchcock has been ill at her home on West Fourth street during the past week.

J. J. McGinnis, the plumber, has moved from 316 Brand boulevard to 344 Orange street, corner Fourth.

Mrs. Edward E. Whitehead of Salt Lake City spent the past week with Mrs. F. J. Wheeler of 1330 N. Maryland avenue.

Mr. W. M. Clark of Los Angeles and Mrs. John Tronten, of Aurora, Ill., spent Sunday with friends on Lomita avenue.

Mrs. F. Mills of Campo, and son, William Webb, have been visiting at the home of Mrs. H. L. Legrande on West Third street.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Masters of Redlands spent the week end in Glendale as guests of Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Wheeler of North Maryland avenue.

Mrs. H. L. Legrand recently returned to her home on West Third street, terminating a month's absence enjoyed at Coronado, San Diego and Campo.

Mrs. Charles Shattuck of 821 Central avenue has just returned from a ten days' outing spent in Escondido, Ocean Side, San Pasquale and San Diego.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Burke and daughter Cecelia, of Joliet, Ill., who have been spending the winter at the Touraine, Los Angeles, visited friends in Glendale Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Ogg of Kenwood street agrived at their home Saturday evening after a five weeks' absence spent in Phoenix, Ariz., and at Arrowhead Springs.

Remember the dance tomorrow (Saturday) evening at K. of P. hall. You know the rest.

Alexander Irvine, the noted Socialist lecturer, will deliver a free lecture March 1st, 7:30 p. m., at Filger's Opera House, his subject being "A Twentieth Century Vision."

Miss Alpha Clement of North Glendale entertained at her home Thursday evening in honor of her house guests Miss Alta Davis of Oregon and Miss Pauline Millinghausen of Fresno.

Smeby's Orchestra will play for the dance at K. of P. hall tomorrow (Saturday) evening. Be sure of a Good Time Coming.

The Ladies' Aid of the First M. E. church will hold an all-day meeting next Tuesday, March 5th, in the primary building. Business meeting at 2:15, followed by social hour and refreshments.

Mrs. Helen Campbell of Isabel street entertained a number of friends at her home in honor of the birthday anniversaries of Miss Anine L. McIntyre and Mrs. F. H. Martin. A most delightful evening was enjoyed playing five hundred.

CLARENCE E. KRINBILL
TEACHER OF PIANO
Pupils of all grades received. Studio 1319 West Second street, corner Orange. Sunset 601-R tf-26

The board of directors of the Country Club entertained the members and their guests at a very pretty masquerade ball on Friday evening. Decorations were of palms and ferns and emblems appropriate to Washington's birthday.

Dance at K. of P. hall, Saturday evening, March 2nd. Smeby's Orchestra and everything to make the participants happy.

The residence belonging to E. W. Pack on Cedar street has been sold to W. B. Crocker. Mr. and Mrs. Crocker will occupy their new home in a few days. Mr. and Mrs. Pack will make their home at Hollywood for the present, Mr. Pack being the proprietor of the lumber yard at Van Nuys.

At the High School Auditorium, 8 p. m., March 16th, will occur the Julius Kranz Recital. Reserved seats 35 cents. Pupils 25 cents. General admission 25 cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Snow entertained with their genial cordiality an informal dinner party at their new home, 333 South Louise street Friday, February 23, twenty of their old-time friends of Warrensburg, Mo., who are spending the winter in Southern California. The day was most heartily enjoyed and will long be remembered by all present as one of merriment and pleasure.

Mrs. John Robert White, jr., of Orange street entertained at lunch at high noon on Wednesday in honor of her birthday anniversary. Table decorations were unusually attractive, being carried out entirely in red, white and blue; red roses, violets and white carnations formed the center piece. Unique George Washington place cards marked covers arranged for guests from Glendale, Eagle Rock and Highland Park. A very enjoyable afternoon was passed playing bridge.

Jewel City Undertaking Company
No. 318 Brand Boulevard
FUNERAL DIRECTORS AND EMBALMERS
Sunset 4 Lady Assistant Home 1691

Adventure

A Romance of The South Seas

BY

JACK LONDON

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CHAPTER XVII.

AN OFFER OF MARRIAGE.

"BUT where was she during the nor'wester?" Sheldon asked.

"At Langa-Langa. Ran up there as it was coming on and laid there the whole week and traded for grub with the niggers. When we got to Tulagi there she was waiting for us and scrapping with Burnett. I tell you, Mr. Sheldon, she's a wonder, that girl, a perfect wonder."

Munster refilled his glass, and while Sheldon glanced across at Joan's house, anxious for her coming, Sparrowhawk took up the tale.

"Gritty! She's the grittiest thing, man or woman, that ever blew into the Solomons. You should have seen Poonga-Poonga the morning we arrived—Sniders popping on the beach and in the mangroves, war drums booming in the bush and signal smokes raising everywhere. 'It's all up,' says Captain Munster. 'Up your granny,' she says to him," Sparrowhawk went on. "'Why, we haven't arrived yet, much less got started. Wait till the anchor's down before you get afraid.'"

"That's what she said to me," Munster proclaimed. "And of course it made me mad, so that I didn't care what happened. We tried to send a boat ashore for a powwow, but it was fired upon. 'What we want,' says Miss Lackland, 'is a hostage. I'm going ashore tonight to fetch Kina-Kina himself on board, and I'm not asking who's game to go with me, for I've got every man's work arranged for him. I'm taking my sailors with me and one white man.' 'Of course I'm that white man,' I said, for by that time I was mad. 'Of course you're not,' says she. 'You'll have charge of the covering boat. Curtis stands by the landing boat. Fowler goes with me. Brahms takes charge of the Flibberty and Sparrowhawk of the Emily. And we start at 1 o'clock.'

"My word, it was a tough job lying there in the covering boat. I never thought doing nothing could be such hard work. We stopped about fifty fathoms off and watched the other boat go in.

"Of course there was a row. It had to come, and I knew it, but it startled me just the same. I never heard such screeching and yelling in my life. The niggers must have just dived for the bush without looking to see what was up, while her Tahitians let loose, shooting in the air and yelling to hurry 'em on. And then I heard them coming through the mangroves and an oar strike on a gunwale and Miss Lackland laugh, and I knew everything was all right. We pulled on board without a shot being fired. And there was old Kina-Kina himself, being hoisted over the rail, shivering and chattering like an ape. The rest was easy. Kina-Kina's word was law, and he was scared to death. And we kept him on board issuing proclamations all the time we were in Poonga-Poonga.

"It was a good move, too, in other ways. She made Kina-Kina order his people to return all the gear they'd stripped from the Martha. She—here she comes now."

It was with a shock of surprise that Sheldon greeted her appearance. The ready made clothes from Sydney had transformed her. A simple skirt and shirt waist of some sort of wash goods set off her trim figure with a hint of elegant womanhood that was new to him. Brown slippers peeped out as she crossed the compound, and he once caught a glimpse to the ankle of brown openwork stockings. Somehow she had been made many times the woman by these mere extraneous trappings.

"I've opened up a new field," she said as she began pouring the coffee. "Old Kina-Kina will never forget me, I'm sure, and I can recruit there whenever I want. I saw Morgan at Guvutu. He's willing to contract for a thousand boys at 40 shillings per head. Did I tell you that I'd taken out a recruiting license for the Martha? I did, and the Martha can sign eighty boys every trip."

Sheldon smiled a trifle bitterly to himself. The wonderful woman who had tripped across the compound in her Sydney clothes was gone, and he was listening to the boy come back again.

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"Well," Joan said, with a sigh, "I've shown you hustling American methods that succeed and get somewhere, and here you are beginning your muddling again."

Joan stood beside Sheldon and sighed as she watched the Martha beating out to sea, old Kinross, brought over from Savo, in command.

"My, but she is a witch! Look at her eating up the water, and there's no wind to speak of. Honestly, if I'd dreamed of the chance waiting for me at Guvutu when I bought her for less than $300 I'd never have gone partners with you. And in that case I'd be sailing her right now."

The justice of her contention came abruptly home to Sheldon.

"You make me feel like a big man who has robbed a small child of a lolly," he said, with sudden contrition.

"And the small child is crying for it."

She looked at him, and he noted that her lip was slightly trembling and that her eyes were moist.

"But the small child won't cry any more for it," she was saying. "This is the last sob. But some day I'm going to sail the Martha again. I know it. I know it."

In reply, and quite without premeditation, his hand went out to hers, covering it as it lay on the railing. But he knew beyond the shadow of a doubt that it was the boy that returned the pressure he gave, the boy sorrowing over the lost toy. The thought chilled him.

"Never mind," he said. "You can go sailing on the Martha any time you please—recruiting on Malaita if you want to."

It was a great concession he was making, and he felt that he did it against his better judgment. Her reception of it was a surprise to him.

"With old Kinross in command?" she queried. "No, thank you. He'd drive me to suicide. I couldn't stand his handling of her. I'll never step on the Martha again unless it is to take charge of her. I'm a sailor, like my father, and he could never bear to see a vessel mishandled."

An hour later, just as they were riding out of the compound, Sheldon glanced at her sharply and noted her face mottling, even as he looked, and turning orange and green.

"It's the fever," she said. "I'll have to turn back."

By the time they were in the compound she was shivering and shaking, and he had to help her from her horse.

"Funny, isn't it?" she said, with chattering teeth. "Like seasickness—not serious, but horribly miserable while it lasts. I'm going to bed. Send Noa Noah and Viaburi to me. Tell Oruiiri to make hot water. I'll be out of my head in fifteen minutes. But I'll be all right by evening. Short and sharp is the way it takes me."

Sheldon obeyed her instructions, rushed hot water bottles along to her and then sat on the veranda glancing across the compound to the grass house. Yes, he decided, the contention of every white man in the islands was right—the Solomons was no place for a woman.

He clapped his hands and Lalaperu came running.

"Here, you," he ordered; "go along barracks, bring m black fella Mary, plenty too much, altogether."

A few minutes later the dozen black women of Berande were ranged before him. He looked them over critically, finally selecting one that was young, comely as such creatures went, and whose body bore no signs of skin disease.

"What name, you," he demanded. "Sangui?"

"Me Mahua," was the answer.

"All right, you fella Mahua. You finish cook along boys. You stop along white Mary. All the time you stop along. You savvee?"

"Me savee," she grunted and obeyed his gesture to go to the grass house immediately.

"What name?" he asked Viaburi, who had just come out of the grass house.

"Big fella sick," was the answer. "White fella Mary talk 'm too much allee time. Allee time talk 'm big fella schooner."

Sheldon nodded. He understood. It was the loss of the Martha that had brought on the fever. He lighted a cigarette, and in the curling smoke of it caught visions of his finglish mother and wondered if she would understand how her son could love a woman who cried because she could not be skipper of a schooner in the cannibal isles.

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The most patient man in the world is prone to impatience in love, and Sheldon was in love.

But how to approach her? He divined the fanatical love of freedom in her, the deep seated antipathy for restraint of any sort. No man could ever put his arm around her and win her. She would flutter away like a frightened bird. Approach by contact—that, he realized, was the one thing he must never do. His hand clasp must be what it had always been—the hand clasp of hearty friendship, and nothing more. And then, one morning, quite fortuitously the opportunity came.

"My dearest wish is the success of Berande," Joan had just said apropos of a discussion about the cheapening of freights on copra to market.

"Do you mind if I tell you the dearest wish of my heart?" he promptly returned. "I long for it. I dream about it. It is my dearest desire. It is for you some day when you are ready to be my wife."

She started back from him as if she had been stung. Her face went white on the instant, not from maidenly embarrassment, but from the anger which he could see flaming in her eyes.

"This taking for granted! This when I am ready!" she cried passionately. "Listen to me, Mr. Sheldon. I like you very well, though you are slow and a muddler, but I want you to understand once and for all that I did not come to the Solomons to get married. Getting married is not making my way in the world. It may do for some women, but not for me, thank you. When I sit down to talk over the freight on copra I don't care to have proposals of marriage sandwiched in. Besides—besides"—

Her voice broke for the moment, and when she went on there was a note of appeal in it that well nigh convicted him to himself of being a brute.

"Don't you see? It spoils everything. It makes the whole situation impossible—and—and I so loved our partnership and was proud of it. Don't you see? I can't go on being your partner if you make love to me. And I was so happy!"

Tears of disappointment were in her eyes, and she caught a swift sob in her throat.

"I warned you," he said gravely. "Such unusual situations between men and women cannot endure. I told you so at the beginning."

"Oh, yes; it is quite clear to me what you did. You took good care to warn me against every other man in the Solomons except yourself."

It was a blow in the face to Sheldon. He smarted with the truth of it, and at the same time he smarted with what he was convinced was the injustice of it. A gleam of triumph that flickered in her eye because of the hit she had made decided him.

"It is not so one sided as you seem to think it is," he began. "I was doing very nicely on Berande before you came. I did not want you to stay. I wasn't in love with you then. I wanted you to go to Sydney, to go back to Hawaii. But you insisted on staying. You virtually"—

He paused for a softer word than the one that had risen to his lips, and she took it away from him.

"Forced myself on you—that's what you meant to say," she cried, the dags of battle painting her cheeks. "Go ahead. Don't mind my feelings."

"All right. I won't," he said decisively, realizing that the discussion was in danger of becoming a vituperative, schoolboy argument. "You have insisted on being considered as a man. Consistency would demand that you talk like a man and like a man listen to man talk. And listen you shall. It is not your fait that this unpleasantness has arisen. I do not blame you for anything—remember that—and for the same reason you should not blame me for anything.

"You can't help being yourself. You can't help being a very desirable creature so far as I am concerned. You have made me want you. You didn't intend to; you didn't try to. You were so made, that is all. And I was so made that I was ripe to want you. But I can't help being myself. I can't by an effort of will cease from wanting you any more than you by an effort of will can make yourself undesirable to me."

"Oh, this desire, this want, want, want!" she broke in rebelliously. "I am not quite a fool. I understand some things. I really think it would be a good idea for me to marry Noa Noah or Adamu Adam or Lalaperu there or any black boy. Then I could give him orders and keep him penned away from me and men like you would leave me alone and not talk marriage and 'I want, I want.'"

Sheldon laughed in spite of himself and far from any genuine impulse to laugh.

"You are positively soulless," he said savagely.

"Because I've a soul that doesn't yearn for a man for master?" she took up the gauge. "Very well, then, I am soulless, and what are you going to do about it?"

"I am going to ask you why you look like a woman? Why you have the form of a woman, the lips of a woman, the wonderful hair of a woman? And I am going to answer because you are a woman, though the woman in you is asleep and that some day the woman will wake up."

"Heaven forbid!" she cried in such sudden and genuine dismay as to make him laugh and to bring a smile to her own lips against herself.

"I've got some more to say to you," Sheldon pursued. "I did try to protect you from every other man in the Solomons and from yourself as well. As for me, I didn't dream that danger lay in that quarter. So I failed to protect you from myself. I failed to protect you at all. You went your own wilful way just as though I didn't exist—wrecking schooners, recruiting on Malaita and sailing schooners, one lone unprotected girl in the company of some of the worst scoundrels in the Solomons. I love you for that too. I love you for all of you, just as you are."

She made a moue of distaste and raised a hand protestingly.

"Don't," he said. "You have no right to recoil from the mention of my love for you. Remember, this is a man talk. From the point of view of the talk, you are a man. The woman in you is only incidental, accidental and irrelevant. You've got to listen to the bald statement of fact, strange though it is, that I love you. You are better off and safer on Berande, in spite of the fact that I love you, than anywhere else in the Solomons. But I want you, as a final item of man talk, to remember from time to time that I love you and that it will be the dearest day of my life when you consent to marry me. I want you to think of it sometimes. And now we won't talk about it any more. As between men, there's my hand."

He held out his hand. She hesitated, then gripped it heartily and smiled through her tears.

"I wish"—she faltered, "I wish, instead of that black Mary, you'd given me somebody to swear for me."

And with this enigmatic utterance she turned away.

(To be continued)

Whistler's Tart Comment.

Whistler one afternoon called on a young painter of his acquaintance who did the pretty little sort of things that are popular. In the course of the conversation that followed the young artist turned to a little head he was painting and, daintily balancing a square palette by one corner between two finger tips, took a fine sable brush and as daintily began to tickle a piece of bad drawing into a "sweet expression," saying:

"A pleasant art, ours, isn't it, Jimmy?"

"Yes," was Whistler's response, "but what are you doing, Frank?"

"Oh," said the young artist, "I am painting a replica of a little thing some one liked because, you know, I can always sell two or three of the same subject, if it's a taking one."

"Ah!" commented Whistler, "you must be a genius, Frank, and I, alas, am like the simple minded hen who, when asked to do so, protested that she could not lay the same egg twice!"

A Grave Discussion.

The late Joseph Jefferson and his sister, Mrs. Cornelia Jackson, famous as Tilly Slowboy in "The Cricket on the Hearth," were standing at a studio window on Beacon street, Boston, overlooking the Old Granary burying ground. They had been discussing the famous persons whose graves were spread below them, when, breaking a short interval of silence, Jefferson said in the most mournful of tones, "Connie, my dear, that is the best place for me, after all."

With a horrified expression on her face, as her brother always avoided grewsome subjects, she asked, "What do you mean, Joe?"

With the twinkle in his eye that three generations of the world have known, the actor remarked blandly, "I said 'after all,' Connie."

In a flash his sister retorted, "No, Joe, dear, that's no place for you. There are too many deadheads there."—Boston Post.

What Hichens Heard.

While still a student of music Robert Hichens wrote many short stories, verses and songs. In one year, he says, he earned over $500 by writing scores and lyrics for music. One song, "A Kiss and Goodby," was sung by Mme. Patti in Albert hall, London.

"In the natural pride of my heart," Mr. Hichens said with reference to this occasion, "I took a seat in the stalls and waited in a fever of excitement to hear how it would go off. It was received with so much enthusiastic applause that I was lifted into a delicious heaven of delight, but was suddenly tumbled headlong by hearing two voices from the seats immediately behind me.

"'What a lovely song that was,' one exclaimed rapturously.

"'Yes,' the other grudgingly agreed, 'but what awful rot the words of these songs always are!'"—Exchange.

GLENDALE CHURCH DIRECTORY.

Presbyterian Church, corner Fourth and Cedar. Rev. W. E. Edmonds. Sunday services: Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 8 p. m.; song service, 7:30 p. m.; Y. P. S. C. E., 6:30 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer meeting.

First M. E., Third street and Dayton. Rev. J. F. Humphrey. Sunday services: Bible School, 9:30 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Epworth League, 7:30 p. m. Thursday evening, people's meeting, 7:30 p. m.

Baptist, Louise street, corner Third. Rev. Eugene Haines. Sunday services: Sunday School, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m.; Young People's Society, 6:45 p. m. Wednesday evening, prayer service.

Episcopal, St. Mark's, Fourth street, corner Isabel. Rev. R. O. Mackintosh, rector. Sunday services: Sunday School, 10 a. m.; preaching, 11 a. m.

SEVENTH-DAY ADVENTIST CHURCH, corner Third and Isabel streets. Sabbath School, 9:45 a. m.; preaching, 11:00 a. m.; Prayer-meeting, Tuesdays, 7:30 p. m. All cordially invited.

Christian Church, Sixth and Louise streets. Rev. J. W. Utter. Sunday services: Sunday School, 9:45 a.m.; preaching, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p.m.

Catholic, Lomita avenue near Adams street. Rev. J. S. O'Neill, Pastor. Mass at 8 a. m., Sunday School follows. Mass also at 10:30 a. m.

West Glendale M. E. Church. Cor. Oak and Pacific. Rev. A. B. Morrison, Pastor. Sunday School 10 a. m. Preaching 11 a. m. Epworth League 6 p. m. Preaching 7 p. m. Prayer meeting Wednesday night 7:30.

First M. E. Church of Casa Verdugo. Central avenue between Dryden and Fairview. Rev. C. R. Norton, Pastor. Sunday school 10 a. m. Preaching at 11 a. m.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF ELECTRIC RAILROAD FRANCHISE.

Notice is hereby given that application has been made to the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, for a certain franchise granting the right to construct, maintain and operate, for the term of forty-four years, an electric railroad upon certain public streets in the said City of Glendale, hereinafter described, together with certain appurtenant and incident rights hereinafter mentioned, and that it is proposed by the said Board of Trustees to grant the same upon the terms and conditions hereinafter mentioned; that said franchise is described as follows, to-wit:

A franchise to construct, maintain and operate for the period of forty-four years an electric railroad for the transportation of passengers, to be single or double-track in whole or in part, at the option of the grantee thereof, or his or its successors or assigns, over the route and along and upon the streets or portions of said streets in said city described as follows, to-wit:

Commencing in the center of Brand Boulevard and Fourth Street, thence west on Fourth Street to Pacific Avenue, thence southerly along Pacific Avenue to Vine Street, thence along Vine Street to the westerly city limits.

Together with the right to construct curves and switches, and spur tracks into private property; also connections at street intersections, power houses, and all other appliances, property, structures and attachments that may be necessary for the purpose of operating said road and enabling it to be as effective as the best electric railroad; provided, however, that no spur track into private property shall be built within five hundred (500) feet of any spur track already constructed under said franchise without first securing proper consent of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.

That the terms and conditions upon which said franchise will be offered for sale and granted are the following, to-wit:

First. That the railroad to be constructed and operated under said franchise shall be used for the transportation of passengers, baggage, United States mail, express matter and such other commodities as can be conveniently handled by an electric railroad, provided that cars other than closed ones of a neat and attractive design shall only be conveyed over said road between the hours of 9 o'clock p. m. of each day and 6 o'clock a. m. of the following day; also such material as is used in the construction and maintenance of railways.

That the tracks to be laid under said franchise shall be placed as near equi-distant from the center of the street as possible, and where said road is double-tracked, as near each other as a proper regard for safety will allow.

Second. That said grantee or his or its successors and assigns shall use good material in the construction of said road, and said road shall be built in a good and workmanlike manner, and that said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall, at his, its or their own cost and expense, oil and re-oil, pave or macadamize the said road between the rails, between the tracks and for two (2) feet on each side thereof, with the same material used for the city and under the same specifications and in the same manner as upon the streets over which said roads are respectively, and shall keep the same constantly so paved or macadamized and in repair flush with said streets and provided with suitable crossings, and shall make the roadbed conform at all times to the established grade of said streets; provided, however, that where any of the above named streets have been graded or otherwise improved prior to the granting of said franchise, said roadbed and rails shall conform to and be flush with the surface of said graded or otherwise improved street or streets, whether such surface be above or below the official grade of said street or streets, and on all other street or streets the said roadbed and rails shall conform to such official grade as aforesaid.

In case the said grantee or his or its successors and assigns shall fail to comply with the instructions given for said repairs for ten (10) days after service of notice thereof upon the Superintendent or Manager of said electric railroad, then the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale may, with suitable assistance, enter upon said electric railroad, or any portion thereof, and do the work and furnish the proper material and keep an itemized account of the cost thereof, which said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, by the acceptance of this franchise, agrees to pay immediately to the Treasurer of the City of Glendale upon the presentation of the account to the Superintendent or Manager of said electric railroad.

Provided further, that cars shall be run over the road constructed under said franchise every day, unless prevented by the elements, riots, strikes, or unavoidable causes; provided, also, that cars shall be run over and upon said road at intervals of not more than one (1) hour, from 7 o'clock a. m. until 10 o'clock p. m. of each day, and as much oftener as may be necessary to properly accommodate all persons who apply for transportation over said road, except in times of extraordinary and unforeseen amounts of travel.

Provided, further, that said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall have the right to excavate and remove portions of said streets necessary to properly construct said road and to erect needful apparatus, boilers, engines, and other appliances to properly equip and run said road; provided, further, that the City of Glendale, in granting said franchise, expressly reserves the right to pave, macadamize, renew or sewer any of said streets, or to lay gas, water or other pipes therein; said work to be done so as to injure said road as little as possible.

It is further provided that said grantee, and his or its successors and assigns, shall construct all necessary flumes and culverts for the free passage of water under the tracks of said railroad whenever and wherever necessary, and that all such flumes and culverts shall be constructed in accordance with plans and specifications approved by the City Engineer.

Third. That the grantee of said franchise, and his or its successors or assigns, shall and will at all times upon and after the completion of said road, during the operation of the same and without extra charge, issue to and receive from passengers going in one directions, transfers good for one continuous passage over and upon any and every other line and lines or any other road or roads operated entirely within the said city, which said grantee or his or its successors or assigns does now, or may hereafter own, control, operate or have a controlling intereat in, and provided, as further condition, that said grantee, and his or its successors or assigns, shall and will at all times as aforesaid, issue, or cause to be issued to said passengers, without extra charge, a similar transfer from any and every other line or lines operated entirely within the said city, which said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, does now or may hereafter own, control, operate or have a controlling interest in, as aforesaid, to, over and upon the road operated and maintained under said franchise.

Fourth. That the rate of fare for any distance within the city limits over said road or its branches one way in the same direction shall not exceed five cents per one passenger; that persons under the age of eighteen years who attend the public schools of said city shall be required to pay but half fare; provided, that said persons shall purchase their tickets in quantities of at least one dollar's worth at a time, such tickets to be available only between the hours of 8 o'clock a. m. and 6 o'clock p. m. in actual passage to and from school, and the said grantee, and his or its successors and assigns, shall sell such tickets whenever requested so to do, when schools are in session, by a pupil who shall present a certificate from a teacher, approved by the principal of such school, that he or she is a pupil of the said school; provided further, that said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, shall carry free on said cars the City Marhall and deputies, and all regular police officers, and firemen of said city, when on duty, and the Board of Trustees and letter carriers, subject at all times to the rules of the road.

Fifth. That the person, partnership, or corporation to whom said franchise is granted or awarded, his or its successors or assigns, shall, during the life of said franchise, pay to the Ctiy of Glendale, in lawful money of the United State, two per cent of the gross annual receipts of said grantee and his or its successors and assigns, arising from the use, operation or posession of said franchise, but no percentage shall be paid for the first five (5) years succeeding the date of this franchise, but thereafter such percentage shall be payable annually, and said franchise is to be forfeited by failure to make the payments provided for, and it shall be the duty of the grantee of this franchise, his or its successors and assigns, to file with the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, at the expiration of six (6) years from the date of granting of said franchise, and at the expiration of each and every year thereafter, a statement, verified by the oath of said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, and by the oath of the Manager or presiding officer of said grantee, or his or its successors or assigns, showing the total gross receipts or gross earnings collected or received by the said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, during the preceding twelve (12) months, and within ten (10) days after the time for filing such statement it shall be the duty of said grantee, his or its successors or assigns, to pay to the City Treasurer of the said City of Glendale the aggregate sum of said percentage upon the amount of the gross annual receipts arising from the use, operation or possession of said franchise.

Provided, that if the road for which said franchise is granted shall be an extension of an existing system of railroad, then the gross receipts shall be estimated to be one-half of the proportion of the total gross receipts of said system which the mileage of such extension bears to the total mileage of the whole system, and said estimate shall be conclusive as to the amount of the gross receipts of such extension.

Sixth. That the work of constructing said road shall be commenced in good faith within not more than four (4) months from the date of the granting of said franchise, and shall be prosecuted thereafter in good faith and without unnecessary or avoidable intermission or delay, and that said work of construction shall be completed within not more than three years thereafter, and if said work be not so commenced, prosecuted and completed within the times, or in the manner specified, such franchise shall be forfeited.

Seventh. That all poles used in the construction and operation of said electric road shall be placed within the curb line of the streets herein designated as officially established by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, and the outer edge of poles shall in all cases be set as near the inner edge of the curb as practicable, when not otherwise directed by said Board of Trustees, and the wires suspended from said poles shall not at any point be less than nineteen (19) feet above the top of the rail; said poles shall be smooth, straight, and painted in uniform color.

That any neglect, failure or refusal to comply with any of the conditions of said franchise shall thereupon, ipso facto, effect a forfeiture thereof, and the said city, by its Board of Trustees, may thereupon declare the franchise forfeited, and may exclude said grantee and his or its successors and assigns from further use of the streets of said city, under said franchise, and said grantee and his or its successors and assigns shall thereupon and immediately surrender all rights in and to the same, and said franchise shall be deemed and shall remain null, void and of no effect.

Notice is also hereby given that sealed bids in writing will be received for said franchise up to 7:30 o'clock p. m. on the 1st day of April, 1912; that the bids received will be opened at that time; that all bids must be for the payment of a stated sum in gold coin of the United States; and that the franchise will be struck off, sold and awarded to the person, firm or corporation who shall make the highest cash bid therefor; provided only, that at the time of opening said bids any responsible person, firm or corporation, present or represented, may bid for said franchise a sum not less than ten per cent above the highest sealed bid therefor, and that said bids so made may be raised not less than ten per cent by any other responsible bidder, and said bidding may so continue until finally said franchise shall be struck off, sold and awarded by said Board of Trustees to the highest bidder therefor in gold coin of the United States. Each sealed bid must be accompanied with cash or a certified check, payable to the City Treasurer of the City of Glendale, for the full amount of said bid, and no sealed bid will be considered unless said cash or check is enclosed therewith, and the successful bidder must deposit at least ten per cent of the amount of his bid with the City Clerk before said franchise will be struck off to him, and if he shall fail to make such deposit immediately, his bid will not be received, and will be considered as void, and said franchise will then and there be again offered for sale to the bidder who shall make the highest cash bid therefor, subject to the same conditions as to deposit as above mentioned. Said procedure will be had until said franchise is struck off, sold and awarded to a bidder who shall make the necessary deposit of at least ten per cent of the amount of his bid as herein provided. Said successful bidder shall deposit with the City Clerk, within twenty-four (24) hours after the acceptance of his bid, the remaining ninety per cent of the amount thereof, and in case he or it fails to do so, then the said deposit theretofore made will be forfeited, and the award of said franchise will then and there, by said Board of Trustees, be again offered for sale to the highest bidder therefor, in the same manner and under the same restrictions as hereinbefore provided, and in case said bidder fails to deposit with the City Clerk the remaining ninety per cent of his bid within twenty-four (24) hours after its acceptance, the award to him of said franchise will be set aside, and the deposit theretofore made by him will be forfeited, and no further proceedings for the sale of said franchise will be had until the same shall be re-advertised for sale.

Notice is also hereby given that the successful bidder for said franchise must, within five (5) days after said franchise is awarded to him, or it, file with the Board of Trustees a bond running to said city in the penal sum of Fifteen Hundred Dollars ($1500), with at least two good and sufficient sureties, to be approved by said Board of Trustees, conditioned that said bidder shall well and truly observe, fulfill and perform each and every term and condition of said franchise, and that in case of any breach of condition of said bond, the whole amount of the penal sum therein named shall be taken and deemed to be liquidated damages, and shall be recoverable from the principal and sureties upon said bond. If said bond be not so filed, the award of said franchise will be set aside, and any money paid therefor will be forfeited.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, made at a regular meeting of said Board on the 5th day of February, 1912.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

Resolution No. 441.

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE, ORDERING CERTAIN STREET WORK TO BE DONE ON VERDUGO ROAD.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale do resolve as follows:

Section 1. That the street work herein described is required by the public interest and convenience, and the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, State of California, hereby orders the same to be done according to the specifications and plans adopted for said work, and under the direction and to the satisfaction of the superintendent of streets of said city, to-wit:

First: That all that portion of Verdugo Road from a line drawn across said Verdugo Road from the most Westerly corner of Lot 85 of Watts' Subdivision of a part of the Rancho San Rafael as per map recorded in Book 5, pages 200-201 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, California, said line forming a right angle with the Westerly line of said Lot 85, to the South city boundary line of the City of Glendale, including all intersections of streets (excepting such portion of said street and intersections as are required by law to be kept in order or repair by any person or company having railroad tracks thereon), be graded, oiled and macadamized in accordance with the plan and profile on file in the office of the City Engineer, and Special Specifications for grading, oiling and macadamizing said portion of Verdugo Road on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, which said Special Specifications were duly adopted for said work by Resolution No. 423 by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.

Second: That a cement curb be constructed along each line of the roadway of said Verdugo Road from a line drawn across said Verdugo Road from the most Westerly corner of Lot 85 of Watts' Subdivision of a part of the Rancho San Rafael as per map recorded in Book 5, pages 200-201 of Miscellaneous Records of Los Angeles County, California, said line forming a right angle with the Westerly line of said Lot 85, to the South city boundary line of the City of Glendale, including returns at all street intersections, in accordance with the specifications for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, said specifications being numbered 2, except that the outer or street face of said curb shall be placed twelve (12) feet from the property line of said Verdugo Road instead of the distance specified in said specifications No. 2; and also except that said curb shall be omitted on the West line of the roadway of said Verdugo Road from a point 104 feet Southerly from the South line of First Street to a point 154 feet Southerly from said South line of First Street.

Third. That culverts shall be constructed at the intersections of Third Street and Verdugo Road, Sixth Street and Verdugo Road and Tenth Street and Verdugo Road in accordance with Special Plans and Specifications for the construction of said culverts on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, which Special Plans and Specifications were duly adopted for said work by Resolution No. 424 by the Board of Trustees of said City.

Sec. 2. That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale finds upon estimates directed to be furnished and furnished by the City Engineer of said City of Glendale, that the total cost of said proposed work or improvement will be greater than fifty (50) cents per front foot along each line of said street so proposed to be improved, as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage; and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall be extended over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the 2nd day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto, or amendatory thereof.

Sec. 3. THE GLENDALE NEWS, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in said City of Glendale, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution and notice of said street work inviting sealed proposals shall be published in the manner and form and by the persons required by law.

Sec. 4. The City Clerk of the City of Glendale is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the Chamber door of the Board of Trustees, in the manner and form required by law, a notice with Specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said City Clerk is hereby directed to publish for two days in said newspaper hereby designated for that purpose, as aforesaid, in the manner and in the form required by law, a notice of said work inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work and referring to the Specifications posted or on file.

Said notice shall require a certified check or bond, either, as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than ten per cent. of the aggregate of the proposal. Said City Clerk is also hereby directed to publish this Resolution for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated for that purpose, as aforesaid.

Adopted and approved this 19th day of February, 1912.

JOHN ROBERT WHITE, JR.,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.

(Seal.)

Attest:

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
)ss.
CITY OF GLENDALE.)

I, G. B. Woodberry, City Clerk of the City of Glendale, do hereby certify that the foregoing Resolution was duly passed by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, State of California, and signed by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 19th day of February, 1912, and that the same was passed by the following vote, to-wit;

Ayes: Coker, Lane, Watson, White, Williams.

Noes: None.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

ANNEXATION ELECTION NOTICE

In pursuance of Resolution No. 443 of the City of Glendale, passed and adopted by the Board of Trustees of said City on the 21st day of February, 1912, and an act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide for the alteration of the boundaries of, and for the annexation of territory to incorporated towns and cities, and for the incorporation of such annexed territory in and as a part of such municipalities, and for the districting, government and municipal control of annexed territory," approved on the 19th day of March, 1889, and any and all amendments of said Act,

Notice is hereby given that a special election will be held in said City of Glendale, and in certain territory adjacent to said City, and hereinafter described, on Saturday, the 30th day of March, 1912, for the purpose of submitting to the qualified electors of said City, and to the qualified electors residing in said territory adjacent to said City, and proposed to be annexed thereto, and hereinafter described, the following proposition, to-wit:

That it is proposed to annex to, incorporate in and make a part of said City of Glendale, certain territory situated in the County of Los Angeles, State of California, and adjacent to said City, and bounded and described as follows:

Commencing at the Northeast corner of Lot Three (3) of the H. M. Binford Tract as per map recorded in Book 10, page 28, of Maps, Records of Los Angeles County, California, said point of beginning being situated upon the boundary line of that certain territory annexed to the City of Glendale by that certain annexation election held October 14th, 1911; thence Easterly along the Northerly line of said H. M. Binford Tract to the Northeast corner thereof; thence Easterly in a direct line to the Southwest corner of Lot Nineteen (19), Block Fourteen (14), of the Glendale Boulevard Tract as per map recorded in Book 6, page 184, of Maps, Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County; thence Easterly along the Southerly line of said Lot Nineteen (19), Block Fourteen (14), to the Southeast corner thereof; thence Northerly along the Easterly lines of Lots Nineteen (19), Twenty (20) and Twenty-one (21), Block Fourteen (14), of said Glendale Boulevard Tract to the Northeast corner of said lot Twenty-one (21), Block Fourteen (14); thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said Lot Twenty-one (21), Block Fourteen (14), of said Glendale Boulevard Tract to the Southeast corner of Lot Forty-eight (48) of the Fairview Tract as per map recorded in Book Eleven (11), page 15, of Maps, Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County; thence Northerly along the Easterly lines of Lots Forty-eight (48), Forty-six (46) and Forty-four (44) of said Fairview Tract to the Northeast corner of said Lot Forty-four (44); thence Northerly in a direct line to the Southeast corner of Lot Forty-seven (47) of said Fairview Tract; thence Northerly along the Easterly lines of Lots Forty-seven (47), Forty-five (45) and Forty-three (43) of said Fairview Tract to the Northeast corner of said Lot Forty-three (43); thence Westerly along the Northerly line of said Lot Forty-three (43) to the Southwest corner of Lot Five (5) of Tract Number 870 as per map recorded in Book 16, page 90, of Maps, Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County; thence Northerly along the Westerly line of said Lot Five (5) to the Northwest corner thereof; thence Northerly in a direct line to the Southeast corner of Lot Five (5) of the Sobey Tract as per map recorded in Book 16, page 124, of Maps, Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County; thence Northerly along the Easterly lines of Lots Five (5) to One (1), inclusive, of said Sobey Tract to the Northeast corner of said Lot One (1); thence Northerly along the Easterly lines of Lots Five (5) to One (1), inclusive, of Tract Number 933 as per map recorded in Book 16, page 171, of Maps, Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County to the Northeast corner of said Lot One (1); thence Easterly along the Northerly line of said Tract Number 933 to the Northeast corner of said Tract; thence Easterly in a direct line to the Southwest corner of Lot Six (6), Block Eighteen (18), of aforementioned Glendale Boulevard Tract; thence Easterly along the Southerly lines of Lots Six (6) and One (1), Block 18, of said Glendale Boulevard Tract to the Southeast corner of said Lot One (1); thence Easterly in a direct line to the Southwest corner of Lot Seven (7), Block Eighteen (18), of said Glendale Boulevard Tract; thence Easterly along the Southerly line of said Lot Seven (7), Block Eighteen (18), to the Easterly line of aforementioned Glendale Boulevard Tract; thence Northerly along said Easterly line of said Glendale Boulevard Tract to the Northeast corner thereof; thence Northerly in a straight line to that certain angle point in the Northwesterly line of that certain 293.02 acre tract of land designated on the Map of V. Beaudry's Mountains as per map recorded in Book 36, pages 67 to 71, inclusive, of Miscellaneous Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County, as Geo. Le Mesnager et al.; said angle point being situated North 35° 00' East 60.36 chains from the most Westerly corner of said 293.02 acre tract; thence North 54° 50' East along the Northwesterly line of said 293.02 acre tract 38.66 chains more or less to the North line of said tract; thence East along the North line of said 293.02 acre tract 11.08 chains more or less to the East line of said tract; thence North along the Northerly prolongation of said East line of said 293.02 acre tract 7.80 chains more or less to the North line of the 329.31 acre tract of Geo. Le Mesnager et al., as said 329.31 acre tract is shown on a map of a part of the Teodoro Verdugo Rancho recorded in Book 29, page 54, of Miscellaneous Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County; thence easterly along the Northerly line of said 329.31 acre tract to Station 27 on the Easterly boundary of the Teodore Verdugo Allottment as per District Court Case No. 1621, Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County thence in a general Southerly direction following said Easterly boundary of said Teodoro Verdugo Allottment to Station Two (2) of said Allottment, said Station Two (2) being situated at the Southeast corner of said Allottment; thence Westerly along the Southerly line of said Allottment to the Northwesterly line of Verdugo Canon Road, as said Road is shown on Map No. 7686, on file in the office of the County Surveyor of aforementioned Los Angeles County; thence Southwesterly along said Northwesterly line of Verdugo Canon Road to an intersection with the Northwesterly line of that certain strip of land conveyed to the County of Los Angeles for road purposes by deed recorded February 7th, 1911, in Book 4442, pages 175 to 177, inclusive; thence in a general southerly direction following the Westerly line of said strip of land so conveyed, to a point five (5) feet northerly along said line from the North City Boundary line of the City of Glendale; thence Easterly in a straight line to the angle point in the North line of Lot Eighty-five (85) of Watts Subdivision of a part of the Rancho San Rafael as per map recorded in Book 5, pages 328 and 329, of Miscellaneous Records of aforementioned Los Angeles County, which angle point is South eighty-three and one-half (83½) degrees West seven and forty-hundredths (7.40) chains from the most Northerly corner of said lot; thence in a general Westerly direction following the various courses of the Northerly Boundary Line of the City of Glendale, to the point of beginning.

That for the purpose of said election the voting precinct denominated as Annexation Election Precinct No. 1, with the following boundaries, and the place at which the polls will be opened in said City of Glendale, are hereby established and designated, and the following named officers of such election for such voting place in such municipal corporation, are hereby appointed, to-wit:

Annexation Election Precinct No. 1.

Comprising all the territory of the present City of Glendale with all and the same boundaries as the corporate limits and boundaries of said City.

Polling Place: Tent, Northwest corner Howard and Fourth Streets.

Inspector: W. B. Kirke.
Judge: M. H. Frisbie.
Judge: E. E. O'Neill.

That for the purpose of said election the voting precinct denominated as Annexation Election Precinct No. 2, with the following boundaries, and the place at which the polls will be opened in such territory so proposed to be annexed, are hereby established and designated, and the following named officers of such election for such voting place in said new territory are hereby appointed, to-wit:

Annexation Election Precinct No. 2.

Comprising all that portion of Los Angeles County, State of California, contiguous and adjacent to the said City of Glendale, as described and embraced and included within the boundaries of the said new territory proposed to be anexed to said City of Glendale, and hereinbefore particularly described, to which reference is hereby made for particular description.

Polling Place: Tent at 705 North Louise Street.

Inspector: A. Ditch.
Judge: Charles T. Huey.
Judge: F. J. Land.

The qualified electors of said City of Glendale and the qualified electors residing in said territory so proposed to be annexed and hereinbefore described, are hereby invited to vote upon such proposition by placing upon their ballots the words "For Annexation," or "Against Annexation," or words equivalent thereto.

The polls at said election shall be opened at six (6:00) o'clock in the morning of the day of said election and shall be kept open until six (6:00) o'clock in the afternoon of the same day, when the polls shall be closed, except as provided in Section 1164 of the Political Code of the State of California as amended by Act approved March 20th, 1909.

The ballots used at such election and the opening and closing of the polls, and the holding and conducting of such election shall be in conformity, as far as may be, with the general laws of the State of California, concerning elections.

Dated February 28th, 1912.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale

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TROPICO

Mr. and Mrs. G. N. Lunn of Glendale avenue, passed the greater part of last week at their ranch at Irwindale.

The Knights of Pythias lodge gave a social dancing party in their hall of the San Fernando road Thursday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Parker journied in their auto last Sunday to the town of Walnut near Puente. They returned the same day.

Tropico lodge of Fraternal Brotherhood will give a box social in the Knights of Pythias hall, Friday evening, March 15th.

Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Ballentyne entertained over Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Lee who are the proprietors of the Waterville hotel in Los Angeles.

Mrs. James A. McGregory of Tenth street, has announced herself as a candidate for the office of clerk of this city at the coming election.

Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Parker made a trip recently to San Bernardino, where they passed some time with relatives, also attended the Orange Show which was held at that place.

W. Scott Spear and Moody Hatcher left for Imperial Valley Wednesday with their families. They will be employed on the property owned by L. M. Appleby, well known here.

The Woman's Home Missionary society of the Methodist church held its regular meeting at the Methodist personage on Central avenue, Tuesday afternoon. The affair was quite well attended.

The subject for the morning sermon at the Tropico Methodist church next Sunday will be "Creed and Life;" in the evening the pastor will take for his subject, "Doing Our Best." Rev. S. W. Carnes will preach at both services.

Vizor Lodge, Knights of Pythias, of this place, will hold another of the popular dances in their hall in the Gabaig block on the evening of March 7th. C. C. Hapgood and C. C. Ritten house will act as floor managers at this event.

Charles F. Story, who for the past several months has been conducting the Tropico Drug Store, has exchanged his business for a drug business belonging to Mr. Baker of Whittier. Mr. Story will go to Whittier to live, while Mr. Baker will move to Tropico.

P. H. Lement of Burbank was arrested this week on a warrant sworn out by Mrs. J. C. Oestegard. Mrs. Oestegard claims that Lement stole water from her from time to time. The case will be heard before Justice Melrose at his Burbank office some time next week.

A surprise party was tendered Miss Stella Nell at her home on Glendale avenue, Tuesday evening, the affair being to celebrate her birthday anniversary. The evening was very pleasantly passed in games and music, and a feature of the refreshments was the large birthday cake. Guests numbered about fifteen.

Already bond election buttons have been secured by the Tropico Chamber of Commerce to be used in assisting the bonds to carry. On the buttons is printed "Vote Yes for Electric Lights." A large number of the buttons have been purchased and will be distributed among the Tropico residents.

Lou E. Cole, the cowboy lecturer and author, was heard in recital at the Knights of Pythias hall last night. Those who attended say that the affair was without doubt the finest thing of its kind ever heard here. The affair was held under the auspices of the Knights of Pythias lodge of Tropico.

Mrs. Frank Beckett of Oak Drive, Tropico, gave a valentine party in honor of Master Russell Roper, recently. The table decorations were red hearts, red carnations and smilax. Among the young guests present were Russell Roper, Lester Kepler, Frances Spence, Edris Rice-Wray, Wilfred Cline, Frances Cline, Colston Rice-Wray and Virginia and Ruth Hall.

Dr. and Mrs. A. O. Conrad of Glendale avenue, journied with the Rotary Club of Los Angeles to Redondo last Saturday and report one of the finest times of their lives. The trip from the Angel City was made by special car. The day was passed in bathing and fishing and in the evening the entire party attended the dancing in the pavilion.

The line-up for the offices of this city at the coming city election as now seen will probably be as follows: Trustees, Leigh Bancroft, John Hobbs, Daniel Webster, D. I. Nofsinger, Burt Richardson. Clerk, L. M. Street; treasurer, John A. Logan. Mrs. James McGregory is an independent candidate for the office of clerk. It is very probable that other candidates will be brought forward within a few days, these to be announced in the NEWS later.

A complaint has been made against Mrs. P. Johnson by Norman Yargashi, the nature of the charge being disturbing the peace. Some time ago Mr. Johnson was arrested and fined twenty-five dollars for assaulting this same Japanese boy, but not wishing to let go of any more cold cash he allowed Mrs. Johnson try her hand at the game. Yargashi and several other Japanese lease lands from the Johnsons, and, according to residents living in the nearby territory, they are unusually peaceful boys and attend strictly to their own business. The Johnson land is on the San Fernando road near the Brand pumping plant.

JUDGMENT OF TROPICO JUSTICE SUSTAINED.

The case of E. M. McClure vs. Walter Smith for commission on the sale of a Burbank ranch was disposed of finally by Judge Woods of the Superior Court on Monday last, this action sustaining the judgment of Judge Melrose of the Burbank justice court in the matter. The case was taken to the superior court on appeal and tried by a Mono county judge, in the first instance, when the ruling of Judge Melrose was reversed. On the new trial, Judge Woods reversed the Mono county judge's decision and sustained the judgment of Judge Melrose.

EXTENSIVE BUILDING AT TROPICO.

The Pacific Home Builders of Los Angeles, who recently purchased a large piece of land at this place, located south of the Pacific Electric tracks, northeast of the Southern Pacific line and southwest of the San Fernando road, are already making the dirt fly in their efforts to get all the improvements in and to put the tract on the market. The land will be cut up into good-sized lots, being 50 by 150, or more each. The tract lies within the Tropico city limits and has a fifteen-minute ride to the center of Los Angeles' business district.

The following extract was taken from a recent letter from the building company: "Bearing in mind the unrivaled view that met the gaze of the padres of the mission days, the Pacific Home Building company has named their tract the "Angeles No. 2," situated as it is at the northern city limits at the foot of the hills that ever enthralled the early settlers and today beckon with the same irrisistible force. It is small wonder that the opening of the new tract is attracting attention.

"While the improvements projected have only begun, enough has been accomplished to show those interested how the tract will appear when completed. A number of homes are already being designed for erection on the tract.

"The Pacific Home Builders will begin the erection of twenty-five bungalows, high-class in every particular, six of which have already been sold. The company is making special inducements to early builders on the tract.

WEST GLENDALE

Mr. R. W. Dedering and daughter, Miss Laura, spent Sunday with Mrs J. L. Russ.

Mr. C. F. Smith is having an addition built to his home on Columbus avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. E. M. Hitchcock enjoyed an auto ride to Redlands recently, in the fine new car that they have lately purchased.

Mrs. E. C. Copeland is having her home at 1618 West Sixth street, remodeled and is expecting a visit from her sister in the near future.

Mr. E. T. Earl is having some more improvements added to his property in La Canada where he and his family have been living for some time.

Mrs. Sophie Hurlburt of Los Angeles was in Glendale visiting with Mrs. E. O. Williams, 1442 West Fourth street, and Mrs. Schremp at Burbank.

Owing to the lack of rain and scarcity of feed, the grain men of San Fernando and vicinity are preparing to take their stock to Inyo county for pasture.

A number of our residents were counted "among those present," on the belated cars of Wednesday night last week, caused by the burning of the sub-station at Burbank. It was all taken in good humor in most instances, and a jolly time with a jolly crowd helped to pass the hours away.

Quite a little excitement was caused among the boys of the neighborhood last week when Aviator Stites landed with his aircraft near the Burlingham place in West Glendale. He was seen sailing around very gracefully for some time, when something about the engine broke, and he was obliged to make a landing. The aeroplane was to have been shipped to San Bernardino the following day, but owing to the high winds it was impossible until later. It was heavily anchored and guarded over night, and then taken to pieces in the field and later on shipped to its destination.

LOS ANGELES THEATRES

GRAND OPERA HOUSE, "THE GIRL AND THE BOY," CONTINUES FOR A THIRD WEEK.

Capacity houses have ruled at every performance of "The Girl and the Boy," Walter DeLeon's newest musical comedy, which was made known two weeks ago at the Grand Opera house by Ferris Hartman and his company of capable assistants. The advance demand for seats has been so great and so many persons have been disappointed during the past week because they have been unable to secure proper seats, that the management of the Grand has decided to continue "The Girl and the Boy," for one more week starting with the matinee Sunday afternoon. The real measure of the worth of any theatrical attraction is box office receipts, for no offering can be continued unless the public desire it. This being the case, there is absolutely no doubt about the real merit of "The Girl and the Boy," for the receipts have been astounding. There is a subtle charm about "The Girl and the Boy," which compels public admiration. It is one of those peculiar attractions which when seen the first time makes a good impression, but which when seen a second time simply enthrals. Hundreds of persons who attended performances during the opening week have engaged seats for the coming week which attests the truth of the statement that the more times a person witnesses "The Girl and the Boy" the better he likes it. Possibly the fifteen song numbers, the two dozen dances, the exquisite scenic investiture, the magnificent costuming, the pretty girls and the clever principals have something to do with making "The Girl and the Boy" such a big success. Whatever the cause the effect is there.

BURBANK.

Third Week of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch.

The Burbank stock company's production of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" continues to be the most popular offering of the year, and in consequence of the immense audiences the piece will be continued for a third week, commencing with the matinee today.

The Burbank players have not had such a thoroughly good play as "Mrs. Wiggs" in many a day. The piece is essentially a comedy of types, with an array of quaintly drawn characters. Mrs. Rice, who fashioned the story, found her types among her own neighbors, it is said, and in the transference of the characters from the book to the stage none of the homely picturesqueness has been lost. The comedy is of the sort that causes chuckles, while it never rises to the level of boisterous fun. With this wealth of clean comedy, coupled with the always diverting story, the popularity of "Mrs. Wiggs" is not difficult to understand when the splendid performance given by the Burbank players is recalled.

Stanley Forest never before has given such an admirable bit of character work as he contributes to the Wiggs performance, while Lillian Elliott in the name part is inimitable. Fanny Yantis' Miss Hazy is an expert specimen of character sketching, while the others of the Burbank company are found in roles in which they have fine individual opportunities for good work, with the result that the performance of "Mrs. Wiggs of the Cabbage Patch" takes on the smoothness and general excellence usually attributed solely to traveling companies that have the benefit of months of preparation.

Following "Mrs. Wiggs," the Burbank company will give the first stock production of "Seven Days," the phenomenally successful farce. The performance will serve to introduce Genevieve Blinns, the leading woman of the Burbank company.

NOTICE OF SALE OF ELECTRIC LIGHT WORKS BONDS OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE, CALIFORNIA.

Sealed proposals will be received by the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, California, until 7:30 o'clock p. m. of Monday, March 18, 1912, to purchase Electric Light Works Bonds of said City of Glendale in the amount of Thirty Thousand Dollars. Said Bonds are twenty-year serials and are Thirty in number, each in the denomination of One Thousand $1000.00) Dollars, dated March 1, 1912, and bearing interest at the rate of five per cent per annum, payable semi-annually on the first day of September and on the first day of March of every year, principal and interest payable in lawful money of the United States at the office of the City Treasurer of the City of Glendale.

One of said bonds is due and payable on the first day of March, 1915 and one of said bonds on the same day and date of each and every year thereafter.

Said bonds are issued under the authority of the act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act Authorizing the Incurring of Indebtedness by Cities, Towns and Municipal Corporations for Municipal Improvements Thereof," which became a law February 25th, 1901, and the amendments thereto, and in accordance with the provisions of law and the ordinances of said City.

No proposals for said bonds will be entertained at less than their face value together with the accrued interest to the date of their delivery, and all bids or proposals submitted will be construed by the Board of Trustees of said City to mean par and accrued interest to the date of delivery of said bonds in addition to the premium offered, whether the bids or proposals set forth the same explicitly or not.

The said bonds wil be ready for delivery on or about March 18th, 1912 and will be delivered at the City Treasurer's office in the City of Glendale, California, or at any designated place, upon the payment by the purchaser of all expenses incurred by the delivery of the bonds and transfer of the money necessary to make delivery and payment equivalent to a transaction at the office of the City Treasurer in the said City of Glendale.

All bids or proposals providing for delivery at any place other than the City of Glendale, California, will be construed by the Board of Trustees to mean the price bid in addition to the expenses of delivery, whether the bid or proposal sets forth the same explicitly or not.

With each proposal or bid must be submitted a certified check drawn upon some bank in the State of California, payable to the order of the City Treasurer of the City of Glendale, for the sum of Five Hundred ($500.00) Dollars, as a guarantee that the bidder will purchase and pay for said bonds in accordance with his proposal in the event the bid is accepted.

The Board of Trustees of said City reserves the right to reject any and all bids or proposals.

By order of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, made at a regular meeting of said Board February 26th, 1912.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

ORDINANCE NO. 156.

AN ORDINANCE OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE REGULATING THE RUNNING AND OPERATING OF STREET AND INTERURBAN CARS IN SAID CITY AND PROVIDING A PENALTY FOR THE VIOLATION THEREOF.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale do ordain as follows:

Section 1. That it shall be unlawful for any person, firm or corporation, owning or operating any street railway or interurban railway in the City of Glendale, to permit any car or train of cars to be run on such railway without providing at all times when said car or train of cars is in motion, a competent motorman stationed at the lever of the motor and on the front end of such car or train of cars, so that at all times when such car or train of cars are in motion the said motorman will be able to see ahead of such car or train of cars and will be able at all times to regulate and control the motion of such car or train of cars.

Sec. 2. Nothing in this ordinance shall be construed as to require the keeping of a motorman on any car or cars composing a train, except the front car composing such train.

Sec. 3. The gate or passage-way to all cars shall be open on one side only, and the rear gate or passage-way shall at all times be closed unless there is provided on all such cars and near said gate or passage way a conductor or other person in charge of said car.

Sec. 4. Any person, firm or corporation violating the provisions of this ordinance shall be deemed guilty of a misdemeanor and subject to a fine therefor in a sum not exceeding $100.00 or imprisonment in the City Jail, or in the absence of a city jail in the County Jail of Los Angeles County for a period not exceeding 100 days, or both such fine and imprisonment.

Sec. 5. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this ordinance and cause the same to be published once in the GLENDALE NEWS, and thereupon and thereafter the same shall be in full force and effect.

Adopted this 26th day of February 1912.

JOHN ROBERT WHTE, JR.,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.
[Seal]
Attest:
G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,) ss.
CITY OF GLENDALE.)

I, G. B. WOODBERRY, City Clerk of the City of Glendale, do hereby certify that the foregoing Ordinance was duly adopted by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, State of California, and signed by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 26th day of February, 1912, by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes: Coker, Lane, Watson, White Williams.
Noes: None.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
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W. C. T. U. NOTES.

Annual (all-day) meeting Friday, March 1, 10:30 a. m. to 4:30 p. m., at the home of Mrs. W. B. Gaylord, 134 East First street. Mrs. Catherine Pierce Wheat of Los Angeles, will give a talk at 2:30 p. m. on "The House Beautiful, The Body." Reports and election of officers will be the order of the day. Come early, bring a friend and lunch for two. We will be glad to welcome all strangers in our midst.

Thursday evening, Feb. 22, we listened to the best *krown quartet* of its kind in the country, "The Meneley Quartet of Chicago. The numbers on the organ chimes and marimbaphones were very pleasing. Never before have the people of Glendale had the pleasure of listening to such a musical treat as this last number on our lecture course. We have brought within the reach of all an opportunity to attend clean, instructive entertainments, and let by the numbers attending, they have not been appreciated as we expected they owuld be.

Temperance Sentiment Gaining Ground in the United States.

So rapid has been the progress of temperance reform in the United States that it is almost impossible to compile correct figures. This summary of state conditions is largely gathered from the national W. C. T. U. paper, the Union. Alabama has had experience in every degree of legislative dryness. Previous to 1911 it had statutory prohibition, the people having refused to vote in a prohibition amendment on account of this proposed amendment being loaded with an obnoxious "search and seizure" clause, empowering officials that might be overzealous, or on the other hand, anxious, to make the law as offensive as possible, to enter private houses any hour of the day or night upon a mere suspicion. Last February the legislature brought into effect a local option enactment that refers the question to the people with the county as a unit. Up to last November eight counties had voted, and with one exception all repudiated the saloon.

The attorney general in his biennial report to the governor stated: "In indisputable facts and figures, and beyond doubt since prohibition went into effect in the state, crime has greatly decreased, and in spite of the large increase in population during the past two years, there have been fewer murders and the number of homicides caused by intoxicating liquors is much smaller than the number of such homicides before prohibition went into effect." Mathematics will eventually win the victory not alone in Alabama but the world over.

Arizona's legislature in 1909 amended its sumptuary laws so as to give local option on a majority vote, the municipality being the unit. Besides the Indian reservations, there are six teen precincts and one whole county that has claimed the privilege of being "dry."

Arkansas possesses seventy-five counties, sixty-three of which are under prohibition by local option and petition. California has, by county ordinance, six totally "dry" counties, five more are "dry" with the exception of one "wet" municipality in each. Three are "dry by precinct option with the exception of nine "wet" precincts, while yet five more have a total of 101 "dry" precincts. Seven cities, with over 10,000 inhabitants and 17 towns with a population of 1000 or more, have banished the bar. There are no license municipalities scattered throughout the state. The women of California have now the franchise and this in itself insures a "dry" state in the near future. (To be continued next week.)

Mrs. Hattie E. Gaylord, President.

No. 7987

Report of the Condition
OF THE
First National Bank
AT GLENDALE
in the State of California, at the close of business, Feb. 20, 1912.

Resources

Loans and Discounts		$203,686 83
Overdrafts secured and unsecured		544 01
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation		25,000 00
Premiums on U. S. Bonds		500 00
Bonds, Securities, etc.		32,883 20
Banking house, Furniture and Fixtures		3,000 00
Due from State and Private Banks and Bankers, Trust Companies and Savings Banks	7 40	
Due from approved reserve agents	43,662 63	
Checks and other cash items	1,217 45	
Notes of other national banks	1,330 00	
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	108 31	
Lawful money reserve in bank, viz: Specie	14,950 00	
Legal Tender Notes	300 00	61,575 79
Redemption Fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent of circulation)		1,250 00
Total		$328,439 83

Liabilities

Capital stock paid in		$ 25,000 00
Surplus fund		10,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid		11,427 69
National Bank Notes outstanding		24,997 50
Individual deposits subject to check	204,566 91	
Time certificates of deposit	52,444 23	
Cashier's Checks outstanding	3 50	257,014 64
Total		$328,439 83

STATE OF CALIFORNIA } ss
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES }

I, Ed. M. Lee, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

ED. M. LEE, Cashier.

Correct Attest—
W. W. LEE,
M. P. HARRISON,
E. U. EMERY,
Directors.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 27th day of Feb., 1912.

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